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EASTER SERVICES

PROGRAM OF MUSIC AND SONG IN ALL THE CHURCHES.

CANTATA BY CHILDREN

In Evening at Christian Church—Night Service at Baptist Church Also by the Little Folks.

The churches of Maryville will observe Easter with appropriate programs of music and song and sermons. In several the evening program will be given by the children. At the Christian church a cantata, "Resurrection Rays" will be given, illustrated with stereopticon slides; at the Baptist church the evening program will also be given by the children.

Complete programs for Easter services of all the churches are given herewith:

Christian Church.

First Christian church program for Sunday morning is as follows:

Anthem, "Awake Thou That Sleepest," by Maker.

Anthem, "God Hath Appointed a Day," by Fred W. Peace.

Sermon, "The Resurrection," Rev. C. Emerson Miller.

Evening program:

Processional.

Song by school, "Easter Bells."

Prayer.

Easter story, told by Mother and Child.

Violin Solo, Edwina Forsyth.

Exercise, "A Wreath Upon the Cross."

Cantata, "Resurrection Rays."

In this Cantata the children will endeavor to show some of the work and blessings of our National Benevolent Association, as they are caring for the orphans, the aged and homeless Disciples of Christ, from the pain of poverty and the humiliation of the poor house. The Easter offering goes to this worthy cause. The cantata will be illustrated by stereopticon pictures.

Silver offering will be taken for Orphan's Home. "Give as much for others as for yourself," is the spirit of the day.

First Methodist Church.

Sunday morning—Anthem, "Inflammatus," from Stabat Mater, by Rossini. Miss Orpha Faris will sing the solo part. Marcus T. Nielsen will sing the recitative from "The Redemption" by Gounod.

Anthem, "Unfold Ye Portals," from "The Redemption," by Gounod.

Sermon, "The Dynamics of Immortality."

Sunday evening—Anthem, "Thine Is the Kingdom," by Gaul, from "The Holy City."

Sermon, "Private Pete."

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning services:

Anthem, "Hallelujah, Christ Is Risen," Simper.

Anthem, "Hail Prince of Light."

Solo, "As Christ Upon the Cross," Bullard.

Violin Obligato, Miss Mabel Foreman.

Sermon, "Benediction of Christianity."

Evening program:

Song and quartet, Beginners Department.

Reading, "Easter, 1918."

Choir number.

Song, Congregation.

Prayer and Scripture.

Proclamation by Superintendent of Sunday School.

Exercise, by Primary girls.

Exercise, by Primary boys.

Song, Congregation.

Patriotic exercise, Junior Department.

Exercise, Senior Department.

Song.

Pledge of Loyalty, Junior and Senior Department.

Song.

Address by pastor.

Prayer and offering.

Doxology and benediction.

First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday morning services:

Anthem, "Christ Our Passover," Starkweather.

Sermon, "The Prince of Life."

Duet, "The Saviour Liveth," (Wilson) Miss Helen Zonor and Mrs. Jensen.

Reception of Members and the Lord's Supper.

Evening Services.

Anthem, "He Is Risen."

Sermon, "Love's Message."

South Methodist Church.

Anthem, "Sing for the Day Is Breaking."

Sermon, "The Lord Is Risen."

Sunday Evening—Anthem, "Jesus the Calm That Fills My Breast," and "God's Will Is Sweet to Me."

Sermon, "The Unavoidable Christ."

Sunrise Easter Service.

"The Baptist Young Peoples Union" will conduct a special service in the auditorium of the church at six o'clock (old time) Easter morning.

RESUME EXAMS NEXT WEEK

Forty-three Men are Called by Draft Board for Physical Tests on Thursday, Friday, Saturday.

Physical examinations will be resumed by the draft board next week, when forty-three men will be called for physical tests on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

These following men are called for Thursday, April 4:

Bevery B. Cunningham, Graham.
John L. Meyer, Guilford.
John Aba Hall, Maryville.
Floyd Edmund Logan, Maryville.
Benjamin E. Moffitt, Barnard.
George T. Newcomb, Flemington.
Wilbur Clinton Duff, Barnard.
Curry Farmer, Skidmore.
Claude Christian, Graham.
Josiah Chas. Farnan, Con. Jct.
Cornelius McManus, Conception.
Charles Anderson, Graham.
Otis Andrew Baker, Clearmont.
Harry R. Blackney, Skidmore.

These are called for Friday, April 5:

Carl C. Finnell, Clearmont.
Frank A. Drydale, Barnard.
Garman H. Powers, Guilford.
Edward W. Fahnauer, Conception Jct.
Jesse Roy Deason, Conception Jct.
Geo. Leslie Nelson, Barnard.
Robert A. Patterson, Maryville.
Glen Spencer Lamb, Elmo.
Glen Johnson, Maryville.
Lee Cornelius Brady, Con. Jct.
Ira Chappell, Graham.
Ralph H. Wright, Skidmore.
Niels Peter Nielsen, Clyde.
Jerry P. O'Connell, Maryville.

These are called for Saturday, April 6:

Vern V. Clayton, Guilford.
Chas. H. Rockwell, Skidmore.
John F. Morrissy, Conception Jct.
Harlan Franci White, Clearmont.
Elmer R. Thrasher, Barnard.
Ernest Arthur Riley, Burlington Jct.
Elmer Colin Johnson, Burlington Jct.
George Asa Howell, Burlington Jct.
Clarence Gonser, Pickering.
Holmes Huston Metcalf, Clearmont.
Wilson V. Claypool, Burlington Jct.
Roy M. Manly, Barnard.
Harvey Wilfong, Maitland.
Chas. Newton Wilson, Parnell.
Virgil Henry Pistole, Hopkins.

Name Administratrix.

In the estate of John Jackson, deceased, of Ravenwood, the widow, Mary E. Jackson, has been appointed administratrix by the probate court.

W. A. Mustain and family of Independence, Kan., who have been visiting Pickering relatives, left this morning for their home.

BE THRIFTY—HAVE THEM CLEANED AND WEAR THEM ANOTHER SEASON.

The nation's supply of wool and other fabrics must be conserved. It is needed for the maintainance of war. Wear your clothes another season. Get all possible wear out of them.

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KEEP SCHOOLS OPEN

GOVERNMENT URGES THEIR USE TO MAXIMUM CAPACITY.

TO SERVE WAR PURPOSE

Should be Available for Use by Boy Scouts, Junior Red Cross, War Garden Work, Etc.

Instead of closing the town and rural schools of the county during the summer vacations as has been the custom, the government urges that they be kept open for use for the performance of some service having war value.

"Don't close the schools; use them to maximum capacity," says Secretary of the Interior Lane in approving a statement just issued by the Bureau of Education of his Department, wherein is presented the Government's need of the schools in war time as seen by those in Washington charged with the conduct of the war.

The statement says: "The entire spirit of the Administration in Washington is, and has been from the beginning, that the war should in no way be used as an excuse for giving the children of the country any less education, in quantity or quality, than they otherwise would have had. Both the present demands of the war emergency and the prospective demands of the necessary readjustments inevitably to follow emphasize the need of providing in full measure for the education of all the people."

Should Find Opportunities.

Regarding elementary schools, the statement says: "There appears to be nothing in the present or prospective war emergency to justify curtailment in any respect of the sessions of the elementary schools, or of the education of boys and girls under 14 years of age, and nothing which should serve as an excuse for interference with the progressive development of the school system. Teachers and pupils should be encouraged to find ways of performing in the schools some service having war value, such as activities connected with the Junior Red Cross, War Garden Work, Boy Scouts, War Thrift Work, and the like. Opportunities should be found to introduce into the school activities having real educational value, which at the same time link up the public schools with the ideals of service and self-sacrifice actuating our people, and bring home to the consciousness of teachers, pupils, and parents the essential unity of the nation in this great crisis."

As to the Government's need of high school students Secretaries Baker and Daniels point out that "the army and navy do not want, and can not use, boys under 18 years of age, nor boys nor men of any age who are not strong and well-developed physically. So far as the army and navy are concerned, there is nothing more important that the schools can do than to keep going at full capacity, and at the same time to emphasize in every possible way their work in physical education. High school boys will render the best service of which they are capable by remaining in school until completion of the high school course."

No Need to Curtail Program.

Civil Service officials are equally emphatic in their statement that nothing can be gained by shutting down the schools or by curtailing school facilities, but they suggest that, since civil service positions have been filled by drawing workers from commercial and industrial houses, and also by drawing teachers from the schools, the schools could undoubtedly render a much needed service by organizing classes to train stenographers, typewriters, clerks and secretaries."

Regarding the need in industry, government officials maintain that no emergency exists which justifies any relaxation of the laws safeguarding the working conditions of our young people. The official statement points out that there are serious shortages in industry already and more are anticipated, but "boys and girls under 18 years of age should not be used to make up these shortages any more than can possibly be helped. It is easier to provide approved working conditions on the farms than in the mill or factory."

Marriage Licenses.

A marriage license was issued to the following today: Paul B. Lewis and Frayna Coleman, both of Hopkins.

Mrs. Thana Hope left yesterday for Corning to visit her daughter, Mrs. Myra Wilson.

EASTER EGGS FOR RED CROSS

Eggs Saved Will Be Accepted and Sold.—Nobody Excluded in this Easy Plan to Help Cause.

Ladies, you can save the eggs laid on Easter day by your hens.

Mrs. G. P. Bellows, director of Woman's work for the Red Cross, announces that all eggs brought in will be accepted and sold for the benefit of the Nodaway county chapter. Eggs may be left at the supply rooms just opened on West Fourth street, the second door west of the Democrat-Forum office, where they will be cared for by those in charge.

There are no restrictions as to Easter eggs nor are women who live in town excluded, as many town residents have chickens who will be glad to donate the eggs laid on Easter day to the Red Cross. Those having no chickens, and who will therefore have no eggs to save, ca nalso have a part, if they desire, by giving an equal proportion in money.

The women of Hughes township have agreed to donate all the eggs gathered on Easter Sunday for the benefit of the Red Cross.

TOWNS TAKE IT UP

PATRIOTIC MEETINGS WILL BE HELD THROUGHOUT COUNTY.

PREPARE FOR BIG DRIVE

County Chairman W. C. Pierce and Workers are Instructing Township Committeemen in Work.

There is evidence on all sides the county will generally participate in the patriotic meetings on Saturday, April 6. The matter was only taken up with the township committee on Thursday and yesterday County Chairman W. C. Pierce at the request of the township committeemen arranged meetings for that date at Hopkins, Pickering, Guilford, Clyde, and Ravenwood. Other townships are yet to be heard from and it looks now as though these meetings would be held in practically every township in the county.

Meetings are being held almost nightly and various school district workers are being instructed in their duties, manner of procedure, etc. Last night Chairman W. C. Pierce and H. L. Haines addressel a meeting at Ravenwood. There will be a meeting held at Arkoe and another at Burlington Junction tonight, one at Quitman Saturday night, and one at Elmo Monday afternoon, all for the same purpose. Each of these meetings will be addressed by Mr. Pierce and members of the Executive Committee.

Due to an error in yesterday's Democrat-Forum it was stated that there had been objection to the plan of closing on Saturday for an hour. It should have read that there "had ben no objection" to closing plan. Every merchant, business and porfessional man seen by the committee has expressed a willingness and desire that the closing order be observed strictly and that those neglecting to do so be listed as profiteers and slackers.

The committee of the Commercial Club in charge of arrangements for the celebration and demonstration hope to be able to announce a complete program tomorrow.

Rev. Wiles Will Preach.

There will be preaching at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Oak Hill church east of Maryville, by Rev. T. H. Wiles.

The Ladies of the **Baptist Aid** will conduct a **MARKET** at Price & McNeal Furniture Store

Tomorrow Morning Saturday, Mar. 29

AUCTION SALE of HOUSEHOLD GOODS

On Saturday afternoon, at one o'clock, I will sell all my household goods at auction. 116 South Walnut St.

E. W. HEIDEMAN.

CORN TEST STATION

CAN NOW HANDLE AS MUCH AS 100 BUSHELS A DAY.

HANDLE ALL THAT COMES

With Planting Time Approaching Farmers are Urged to Take Advantage of Service Offered.

As an emergency measure the Maryville High School testing station has been moved to the basement of the Real Estate Bank building, and is at present working on a fifty bushel capacity. So much corn was taken to the school that there was little room left for recitation work.

The Manual training boys under the direction of Superintendent Cooper worked all day yesterday building tables, cleaning the building, and making such alterations as were necessary to the establishment of a complete and efficient testing station.

J. C. Hackleman, seed corn expert of the University of Missouri, addressed a mass meeting of the High School students Wednesday morning, when the students patriotically responded one hundred per cent strong when asked to give their service in testing the seed corn of this communit They will work in shifts of twenty-four students each which will make it possible for them to test one hundred bushels a day. Should the corn come in faster, as is at present indicated, the capacity of the plant can easily be doubled, so there is little cause for the farmers of this community to worry about being able to get their seed corn tested before planting time.

The charge has been fixed at one-half cent an ear for testing, which will do away with the uncertainty as to what constitutes a bushel, and also figuring on the fraction of a bushel. Those wanting their seed corn tested should report to Superintendent Cooper who will be on hand to take care of the corn and see that it is properly tagged, tested and cared for.

Remember to bring your seed corn in early as the station will be rushed as the planting season arrives. By all means weed out the dead ears; the loss for each per cent of dead ears planted amounts to thirty-five vacant hills an acre, seventy-one missing stalks per acre, and thirty-five and one-half pounds of corn per acre. Figure it for yourself, whether it will pay you to test the corn yourself, or have it tested.

TWO IN GRADUATE RECITAL

Miss Mary Wooldridge and Virgil Rathbun, Assisted by Miss Ruth Hankins at Conservatory.

The third of a series of graduate recitals is a certificate recital given tonight at 8 o'clock in the Recital Hall, by Miss Mary Wooldridge and Virgil Rathbun, assisted by Ruth Hankins violin, and Lucile Wiley, soprano.

Sonata Op. 2, No. 3.....Beethoven
First Mov.
Mary Wooldridge

Shadow Dance.....MacDowell
Prelude in C Minor.....Rachmaninoff
Virgil Rathbun

Adoration .....c.... Borowski
Ruth Hankins

Novellette in E.....Schumann
Polka de la Reine.....Raff
Mary Wooldridge

Calm as the Night.....Bohm
A Birthday .....Cowan
Lucile Wiley

Liebestraum .....Liszt
Sonata Op. 27, No. 2.....Beethoven
Last Mov.
Virgil Rathbun

A New Bond Bill 12 Billion.

Washington, Mar. 29.—Twelve billion dollars will be the total authorization in the new bond bill to be presented to the house tomorrow, Chairman Kitchen, of the ways and means committee announced this afternoon. The Food Administration also announced that immediate audit of the accounts of all packers is to be made.

Christian Church

Bible School, Sundaf, March 31.
Orchestra, "Angel Guards Their Watch are Keeping."
Song, Ladies' quartette.
Prayer, "Come with Joyous Heart."
Vocal Solo, Elaine Wright.
Trio, "May Thy Possess My Soul."
Scripture reading.
Lesson period.
Offering for Orphan's Home.

MRS. JONES DIES SUDDENLY

Wife of Well Known Business Man Stricken with Heart Failure—Funeral Held Tomorrow.

Mrs. Edith May Jones, wife of W. W. Jones, died suddenly of heart failure at 6 o'clock last night at their apartments at Perrin Hall. Mrs. Jones, who had been ill with la grippe for two weeks, was much improved, and able to be up and about her rooms. Mr. Jones, who had been with her, left the room, and on returning about ten minutes later, found her lying dead on the floor.

Mrs. Jones was 59 years old, and was married twenty-five years ago November 2, 1917, at Kentland, Ind., her early home. For several years they have made their home in Maryville.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the First Methodist church, conducted by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, and burial will be at Burlington Junction.

The pall bearers will be George and Sam Jones, and Edwin and Charles Caldwell of Burlington Junction, nephews of Mr. Jones and the Dowling brothers of near Maryville, nephews of Mrs. Jones.

The out of town relatives who will be present for the funeral are: Mr. and Mrs. George M. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Jones of Burlington Junction and Mr. and Mrs. George Dalby of Blanchard, Ia. Besides her husband Mrs. Jones leaves one brother, John Jacoby, of Texas, who will be unable to be present.

The body will lie in state from 10 till 1 o'clock tomorrow at Perrin Hall.

INTERESTED IN INSTITUTE

Besides a Series of Lectures Frank Stockdale will be Available for Personal Conferences.

The merchant's institute to be held under the auspices of the Commercial Club on nxt Tuesday and Wednesday by Frank Stockdale, the noted business expert, will have its initial session on Monday night following a supper to be given at the First M. E. church. Invitations have been sent to the merchants and business men in the county to the number of over 200 and it is expected a large number will be present. Plates may be reserved by paying fifty cents. Mr. Stockdale will give an outline of the institute following the supper.

On Tuesday and Wednesday sessions will be held at a place to be announced later. Mr. Stockdale will lecture each afternoon between three and four o'clock and in the evening from 7:30 to 9. Arrangements may be made for private consultations at hours that do not conflict with the lecture hours, by all who desire to take up matters of direct personal interest.

It is planned to arrange for all sales people who desire to hear the instructive talks to be given the opportunity. The lecture s and personal conferences are without cost and will afford merchants a means of becoming acquainted with the methods of live merchants all over the country and to learn how to get the best results from retail merchandising.

A JUNIOR RED CROSS SALE

Benefit Event will be Held at Court House Saturday April 6.—Donations are Solicited.

An auction sale will be held next Saturday, April 6 in front of the court house for the benefit of the Junior Red Cross when various articles will be sold to the highest bidder. Supt. Bert Cooper is in charge of the sale and announces that anything of value that it is desired to donate will be gladly accepted, such as chickens, potatoes, live stock, fancy work and the like. In the sale announced the prize sweepstakes corn donated by M. C. Thompson will be sold.

All articles for the sale should be taken to the office of county superintendent Cooper at the court house before next Saturday. The proceeds derived from the auction will be used to purchase material for the junior workers to make up into Red Cross supplies.

Feature Tonight

Empire Theatre

Show begins at 7:30

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LAST SMASH FINDS ALLIED LINE INTACT

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FRENCH RESERVES ARE DRIVINF HUN SALIENT

British War Office Indicated Counter Blows are Growing in Vigor and Pressure With German Drive Greatly Weakened.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Mar. 29.—By a series of powerful counter thrusts delivered by the British north of the Somme, some ground was gained from the Germans, and a number of prisoners and machine guns captured, the war office announced today. There is continuous and terrific fighting over the greater part of the battle front and strong German reserves are being thrown into the battle, but have everywhere been thrown back by the determined resistance of the British.

Dense German columns were caught under the rifle, machine gun and cannon fire of the British and Field Marshal Haig reported the enemy had again sustained tremendous losses. South of the Somme violent fighting raged until late Thursday evening. The war office indicated that the British counter blows were growing in vigor and that the pressure of the German drive had been greatly weakened.

Under pressure of urgent war necessities it would not be surprising if a supreme commander-in-chief were appointed for the western front with the hearty approval of field marshals, Haig and Petain. The Daily Chronicle stated today that it was expected that the post would go to General Foch, one of the most brilliant officers in the French army.

Washington, Mar 29.—All along the Picardy front the battle lines of the Entente Allies are holdiny today according to advices received by the war department and by the British and French military missions, emphasized the fact and it is not believed there will be any further withdrawals.

The French reserve army continued its drive into the German salient near Noyon today, according to advices reaching this city. The number of troops and whether this operation is being conducted by the Allied reserve army created by the supreme war council, and whether it is a real counter offensive or a "feeling out" movement is not admitted here.

Major General Bell, just back from France, told the senate military affairs committee today that the British withdrawal in the face of the German drive was prearranged.

Paris, Mar. 29.—General Pershing, speaking in the name of the United States, has placed the American army at the disposal of the French forces in the great battle of Picardy, it was announced today.

Paris, Mar. 29.—Paris was practically emptied of officers and soldiers today following a call to the front and streets and restaurants were cleared of familiar uniforms.

Four Die in New York Fire.

New York, Mar. 28.—Four persons, three women and one man, lost their lives in a fire which completely gutted the upper stories of a theatrical boarding house this morning.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled and colder tonight; Saturday cloudy and warmer.

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FOR CITY MARSHAL.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city marshal of Maryville, subject to the action of the voters at the April city election.

E. E. TILTON.

FOR MARSHAL.

Mike Liston hereby announces that he will be a candidate for the nomination of marshal of Maryville, Mo., subject to the decision of the voters at the April city election.

FOR CITY MARSHAL.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city marshal of Maryville, subject to the action of the voters at the April city election.

PURL EDWARDS.

FOR CITY COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for City Collector of Maryville, subject to the action of the voters at the city election, April 2.

FRANK MARTIN.

For City Collector.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for City Collector of Maryville subject to the action of the voters at the city election, April 2.

W. A. BURRIS.

FOR CITY COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city collector of Maryville subject to the decision of the voters at the April election.

W. Y. COX.

FOR COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce my candidac for the office of City Collector subject to the decision of the voters at the April election.

2. A. N. (DOLL) REESE.

"I'm a little late this evening," says J. J. Heifner, "but I have been searching all over town for a spool of barb wire. I'm knitting a sweater for the kaiser."

BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get at the Cause and Remove It

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DEATH FOLLOWS OPERATION

Mrs. Walter P. Saunders Dies at Noyes Hospital, St. Joseph.—Maryville Relatives to Attend Funeral.

Mrs. Cora Sanders, wife of Walter P. Sanders of St. Joseph, died late yesterday afternoon at Noyes hospital St. Joseph, where she underwent a serious operation ten days ago. The cause of her death, which was sudden and unexpected, was a blood clot on the heart. The funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Robinson, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. Chas. T. Bell, Dr. and Mrs. F. M Ryan and other Maryville relatives will attend the rites.

Mrs. Sanders was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Garrett, formerly of Maryville, and was born in Savannah. Besides her husband she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. George A. Everest, a son, Robert G. Sanders, both of St. Joseph; one grandchild, Marion Sanders, and a sister, Mrs. Kate Ardery, also of St. Joseph.

Mrs. Sanders was a member of the First Presbyterian church in St. Joseph and was active in church work. It was mainly through her efforts that the handsome Y. W. C. A. edifice was erected there several years ago. She was a woman of charming personality and for years has been much interested in philanthropic work.

Forum-ettes

General order for Easter Sunday: Forward the Light Brigade—meaning daylight, of course.

Lady at the depot this morning when questioned by a reporter: "I'm not going anywhere—just St. Joe."

A little girl whose pa is sick with the measles phoned in today to know if they would "canteen us" because pa is "broke out."

Observation: We have noticed that the farther away you live from your relatives the more apt you are to brag about them.

The man who quits smoking thinks everybody ought to be interested in the struggle he is making.

A woman will go to church every Sunday and believe the minister when he tells her that faith will move mountains, but she knows that it will have no effect on the wart on her neck.

A Maryville man says his folks haven't had company for so long he has forgotten what kind of furniture he has in the dining room.

The old fashioned twon rich man who used to be looked up to because he kept his horse and buggy in the livery barn now has a son who keeps one car in the repair shop and the other on the go all the time.

PICKERING CHRISTIAN CHURCH SPECIAL.

Easter Sunday will be observed with appropriate exercises by the Christian church at Pickering. Easter has long been a "High Day" in our Bible schools. The offerings go to the support of our Orphan's Homes, Old People's Homes, Hospitals, etc.

The exercises, both morning and evening revolve about the resurrection. Everyone cordially invited.

J. T. ALSUP, Minister.

Men Entertain at Skidmore.

The men and boys at the Skidmore Christian church, who were losers in a membership contest put on last winter, entertained the women and girls of the church at a banquet last night at the church parlors. A program of music, reading and talks was given and a two course supper was served. About 150 persons attended.

Entertained Mr. Nielsen.

Following the sermon and choir practice at the First Methodist church last night, the members of the choir entertained Marcus T. Nielsen, who leaves soon for Regina, Canada. About twenty were present.

NOTICE OF MASS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the qualified voters of this school district is called to meet at the court house at 7:30 p. m., Friday, March 29, for the purpose of nominating school directors.

By Order of Board of Directors.

At Christian Church Tonight.

Pre-Easter services will be resumed at the Christian church tonight when Rev. C. Emerson Miller, unable to preach last night on account of illness, will have for his subject, "The Cross and the Seven Words."

Miss Margaret Ford left yesterday for Lenox, Iowa, where she will spend Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Ford.

Announce Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Godsey announce the birth of a daughter yesterday afternoon.

A MASS MEETING TONIGHT.

Two Members of School Board to be Voted on at Tuesday's Election.

There will be a mass meeting of citizens tonight at the court house to make nominations for two members of the school board to be voted on at the city election next Tuesday. The terms of office of Dr. Jesse Miller and L. C. Cook will expire at this time. It is expected that both will be renamed to continue on the board, as both have given loyal and efficient service.

Infant Child Dies.

The four-weeks-old infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heflin of Maryville died last night of cerebral hemorrhage. Funeral services were held this afternoon at the residence and burial at Wilcox.

DOBBINS WILL IS FILED.

Bulk of Property to Brother, Who Is Also Named Executor.

The will of Wm. Dobbins, former Barnard resident whose death occurred in Denver, Col., on March 24, last has been filed for probate. The will provides for bequests of $1 to each of several brothers and sisters and to nephews and nieces, the bulk of the property, both real and personal being left to a brother, Samuel R. Dobbins, with express provision for their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dobbins. Samuel R. Dobbins is made executor. The will was made July 10, 1914.

Fort Worth Mar. 29.—While doing solo flying today J. F. Dyer, of the Royal Flying Corps and J. Scott Brown, of Montreal, were instantly killed when their planes crashed to the earth.

Who Pays The Bill?

A little common sense reasoning that the pubile of Maryville should hear:

Mr. Jones buys meat on credit. Mr. Smith pays cash. Mr. Jones through one reason or other does not pay his bill. Mr. Smith pays his bill. But who pays Jones' bill? The merchant can't afford to loose it. But to protect himself from bad debts he realizes that he must have a larger profit on Mr. Smith, or any of his patrons to help pay for the loss of Jones' bill. You'll have to admit that this is a fact.

And free delivery service. Is it free? Does the merchant who delivers get his delivery equipment free; does he hire his delivery help free? Does he get all the necessary repairs to the delivery equipment free? Certainly not. Then who pays these ebills? The public who wants that service, of course.

THE PACKER'S MARKET COMPANY

does not deliver, nor does it do any credit business. We do not ask you to pay for what you don't get. Our meats are of the finest quality and our prices mean a saving worthy of your consideration.

The Packers Market Co.

210 North Main Phone 519.

Higher Rates for Electricity Necessary

After studying every alternative and postponing action as long as possible we are compelled to increase our rates to cover increased cost of manufacture, the main factor of which is coal.

In January 1917 we voluntarily reduced our rates for current upon the basis of increased business and therefore lower overhead charges, and had coal which at that time cost us $3.00 per ton in the bin, not advanced we could possibly have overcome advance of other items, but coal is today costing us $4.45 in the bin. an increase of practically 50 per cent. During 1917 we used 5180 tons of coal which if figured at the old price of $3.00 per ton would have amounted to $15540.00 but this year the same tonnage will cost $23,051.00 should the cost in the bin remain at $4.45, and freight rates on coal will shortly be advanced as the railroads have already applied for an increase. This one item will increase our cost of operation $7,511.00 and the increase asked in rates will scarcely cover this one item of coal alone.

As a matter of fact the proposed rates will average less than the rates previous to our reduction in January, 1917.

Proposed rates will appear in Saturday's papers.

Maryville Electric Light and Power Company

Empire Theatre Building
Maryville, Mo.

CONRAD FUNERAL SUNDAY

Service will be from the First M. E. Church in Charge of Rev. G. S. Cox—Burial in Miriam.

Funeral services for George Conrad whose death followed injuries received by being struck by an automobile on Wednesday night will be held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the First M. E. church, the funeral sermon being preached by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. Members of Masoic order state. Members of the Masonic order and of the B. P. O. E. lodge of which Mr. Conrad was a member will attend the service in a body. The remains will lie in state at the family home 311 West Seventh street from 2 until 6 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Burial will be in Miriam cemetery.

Universal Service Scores.

Washington, Mar. 29.—Universal military service scored an important victory this afternoon when the senate refused to table a new amendment to the pending draft legislation to begin the military training of young men when they reach the age of nineteen.

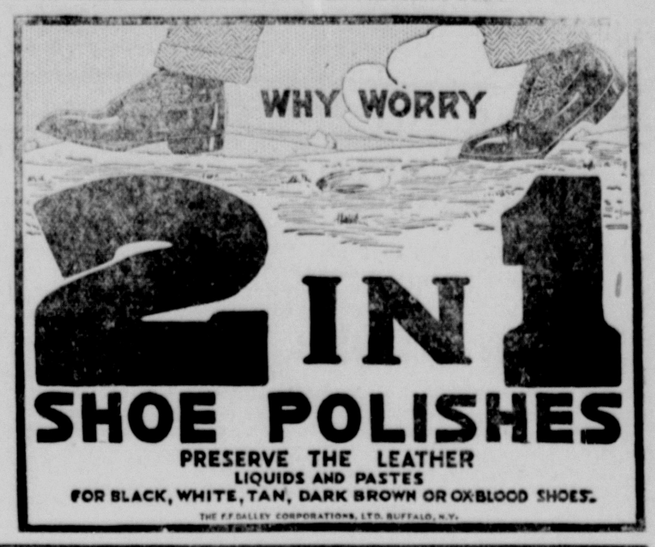
MOTHERS TO BE

Should Read Mrs. Monyhan's Letter Published by Her Permission.

Mitchell, Ind.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me so much during the time I was looking forward to the coming of my little one that I am recommending it to other expectant mothers. Before taking it, some days I suffered with neuralgia so badly that I thought I could not live, but after taking three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was entirely relieved of neuralgia, I had gained in strength and was able to go around and do all my housework. My baby when seven months old weighed 19 pounds and I feel better than I have for a long time. I never had any medicine do me so much good."—Mrs. PEARL MONYHAN, Mitchell, Ind.

Good health during maternity is a most important factor to both mother and child, and many letters have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., telling of health restored during this trying period by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mr. Bryan is so busy making the world safe for grape juice that he can't find time to give much attention to the small matter of war.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2 IN 1
SHOE POLISHES
PRESERVE THE LEATHER
LIQUIDS AND PASTES
FOR BLACK, WHITE, TAN, DARK BROWN OR OXBLOOD SHOES.
THE F.F. DALLEY CORPORATION, LTD. BUFFALO, N.Y.

Choice of Food—

Your choice of foods should be those products that contain the greatest amount of food value for the money expanded. Common sense will tell you that meat of the best quality is the only economical meat—

For Your Easter Breakfast

——we offer ham—delicious juicy ham that will melt in your mouth. And for your Dinner, Roasts, Steaks and Chops, all of which are from the best stock, which means quality and that in turn assures you of economical prices.

Reimer's Market

Clever Styles

In Waists, Suits and Coats
for Spring

A belated shipment has just brought us an excellent stock of goods that will surely be a treat for the late Easter shopper who is desirous of securing exclusive designs in high class Waists, Suits and Coats.

These fres h new selections for spring include garments whose pretty materials and careful making will instantly appeal to the particular woman.

The Waists are of Georgette Crepe in all the delicate shades for spring. Many of them are hand embroidered, with hand made lace trimmings. The Easter buyer will find these winning creations very modestly priced.

These Suits and Coats comprise a collection that possess most excellent qualities and you will find in them a splendid combination of style, beauty, good quality of materials and trimmings.

Among the little things that add to your Easter costume are your Gloves. We have a large array of Silk Gloves in all the latest shades.

Another necessity that adds a finishing touch to your Easter Suit is your Hosiery. Silk Hose in a large variety of tints, that will appeal to the discriminating woman, are to be found here.

D. R. Eversole & Son

USE BUT HALF WHEAT

NEW REGULATIONS AS SUPPLY GROWS SMALLER.

EFFECT LARGER SAVING

Food Administration is Dependent on Voluntary Assistance of People to Accomplish End.

That the Allies may be supplied with the necessary proportion of wheat to maintain their war bread from now until the next harvest—and this is a military necessity—the people of this country must cut down their use of wheat by one-half. To effect this saving, the Food Administration is dependent upon the voluntary assistance of the American people and asks that the following rules be put into effect at once.

First: Householders should not exceed a total of one and one-half pounds a week of wheat products a person. This means not more than one and three-fourths pound of Victory bread containing the required percentage of substitutes, and about one-half pound of cooking flour, macaroni, crackers, pastry, pies, cakes, wheat breakfast cereals all combined.

Second: Public eating places and clubs should observe two wheatless days a week, Monday and Wednesday, as at present. In addition, they should not serve to any one guest at any one meal an aggregate of breadstuffs, macaroni, crackers, pastry, pies, cakes or wheat breakfast cereals containing a total of more than two ounces of wheat flour, for each ninety meals served, thus conforming to the limitations required of the household.

Third: Retailers shall sell not more than one-eighth of a barrel of wheat flour to any one town consumer at any one time and not more than one-quarter of a barrel to any country consumer at any one time, and in no case to sell wheat products without the sale of an equal weight of other cereals.

Fourth: Bakers and grocers are asked to reduce the volume of Victory bread sold by delivering the three-quarter pound loaf where the pound loaf was sold before, and corresponding proportion in other weights. Bakers also are asked not to increase the amount of their wheat flour purchases beyond a seventy per cent of the acreage monthly amount purchased in the four months prior to March 1.

Fifth: Manufacturers using wheat products for non-food purposes should cease such use entirely.

Sixth: There is no limit upon the use of other cereals, flour and meals, corn, barley, buckwheat, potato flour, etc. Many thousand families throughout the land are now using no wheat products whatever except a very small amount for cooking purposes and are doing so in perfect health and satisfaction. There is no reason why all the American people who are able to cook in their own households cannot subsist perfectly well with the use of less wheat products than one and one-half pounds a week and the well-to-do households in the country are especially asked to follow this additional program in order that the necessary marginal supplies for those parts of the community less able to adapt themselves to so large a proportion of substitutes may be provided.

RICH MARYVILLE BACHELOR WANTS WIFE.

"Many people have blamed me for not getting married. Since childhood I have suffered from stomach and liver trouble, never being able to get any medicine or doctor to help me. Now that Mayr's Wonderful Remedy has entirely cured me, I am anxious to get a wife." It is a simple, harmless preparation, that removes the catarrhal mucous from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Maryville Drug Co.—Adv.

KNITTING CLAIM DISPUTED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Unionville, Conn., March 29.—The claim of Mrs. J. Antoinette Hamilton, eighty-three, that she is the oldest knitter in the State has been challenged by several local women. Mrs. Mary Griggs, eighty-five; Mrs. John C. Tracy who will be eighty-eight at her next birthday, and Mrs. E. V. Sage, who recently celebrated her ninetieth birthday, are all doing their bit with the knitting needles in this town.

SLAVE DIES AT 118.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Laurel, Del., March 29. — Bayard Jones Gray, a slave for more than a century, and who cultivated four masters during the slavery days, died here at the age of one hundred and eighteen.

Gray had perfect eyesight and worked actively and regularly until nearly one hundred years old.

WOMEN AS R. F. D. CARRIERS

Are Now Eligible to Positions on Mai Routes—Examination April 27 Where Vacancies Exist.

Women are to be taken on as rural route mail carriers all over the country as a war emergency measure, according to information given in the office of the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, James I. Blakslee. The first examination to which women will be eligible will take place on April 27 in all sections where there are vacancies and where men carriers are unattainable.

This is the first time since 1911 that women have been eligible for such posts, except in rare cases as substitutes. Previous to that time the service was opened to them for a short time, but while their work was satisfactory climatic conditions in the Northwest were such as to make it inadvisable to use them generally, and the privilege of examination was denied them.

There are now in the rural route service 200 women carriers, holdovers from those early examinations. According to the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, who has charge of rural routes, their services have been quite satisfactory, and in opening the field again to women his office looks for gratifying results.

MUST DRAG COUNTY ROADS

Inspectors From State Highway Board Will Report Counties Where Work Is Being Neglected

Road drag inspectors acting under the direction of the state highway board will report counties where intercounty seat roads are not properly dragged. In many counties the highway boards allow road drag furds to accumulate and no effort is made to put the roads in proper condition after each rain. The law provides $15 per mile per year to drag or otherwise improve the 11,300 miles of intercounty seat highways in Missouri. Because of the scarcity of farm help and the pressing need of teams for agricultural work, it is difficult for county highway boards to contract with parties who will not sacrifice the roads for their own personal benefit. Many road overseers in the state also proceed on the theory that they are to do road work only when the weather conditions are unfavorable for farm work or crops are laid by. If the roads in your section are not properly dragged you should notify the state highway board and an inspector will see that the condition is corrected.

KRUPP BUILT THE BIG GUN

Kaiser Thanks the Makers for the Achievement of German Science and Labor.

Amsterdam, Mar. 29.—The gun with which the Germans are bombarding Paris is a product of the Krupp works at Essen. Emperor William has sent a telegram of thanks to Dr. Krupp von Bohlem and Halbach, the head of the Krupp works. The telegram reads:

"By the bombardment of Paris from a distance of considerably more than one hundred kilometers your new gun has brilliantly stood the test. By the manufacture of the gun you have added a new page to the fame and history of Krupp. I therefore express to you and all your co-workers my imperial thanks for this achievement of German science and labor."

(1st insertion Mar. 20; last April 1)

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 2nd, 1918 at the various voting places in the City of Maryville, Missouri, there will be an election held for the purpose of electing a Mayor, Marshal, City Collector and five aldermen, as follows: One Alderman from the First Ward, two from the Second, one for one year to fill the vacancy caused by the removal from the ward of Alderman O. O. Howard, one for two years, (long term), one from the Third Ward and one from the Fourth Ward.

Polling places and the names of the Judges in each ward, as follows:

First Ward (City Hall) Judges: Noah Sipes, J. E. Reese, Howard Whaley, Hal Hooker.

Second Ward (Keeler Building), Judges: Henry Trullinger, George Conrad, Robert Brown, Alex Holt.

Third Ward (Gray's Pavilion), Judges: A. J. Anderson, Ellis G. Cook, Haden Sours, Dick Strawbridge.

Fourth Ward (John Kane Bldg.) Judges: Luey Gram, Howard McCaffrey, Fred Smith, Thomas Hall.

Polls open at 7 a. m.

A. S. ROBEY, Mayor.

(Seal)

E. J. Howland, City Clerk.

SCHOOL ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 2, 1918, at the various voting places in the city of Maryville Missouri, held for city election, there will be submitted to the qualified voters of the Maryville School District being District Number 97, a proposition to levy a tax of six mills on the dollar on the taxable property of the district in addition to the four mills authorized by law to be levied by the Board of Directors.

Also the election of two directors for the next ensuing term of three years each.

Done by order of the Board of Directors this 11th day of March, A. D., 1918.

J. R. BRINK, Pres.

GEO. PAT WRIGHT, Sec.

Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY

Hanamo 42. Farmers 114.

Eliminating Illiteracy One Topic of Women's Club Sessions.

Official announcement was made today that "Rural Schools' 'and "The Elimination of Illiteracy" are to be the two topics stressed at a great educational conference which will be a feature of the fourteenth biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs to be held at Hot Springs, Ark., April 30 - May 9.

J. L. McBrien, rural school specialist in the U. S. bureau of education, Washington, will lead this discussion. Other speakers on the educational conference programme will be:

Dr. Henry McCracken, president of Vassar college and director of the American Junior Red Cross; Mrs. Mary C. C. Bradford, president of the national educational association and superintendent of education of the state of Colorado; Mrs. Claude D. Sullivan, state chairman of education for Tennessee; Mrs. H. C. Gibson, president of the Arkansas Federation of Women's Clubs and past field extension worker for Arkansas; Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, president of the Kentucky illiteracy commission and pioneer in the work for the elimination of illiteracy; Mrs. Edward Franklin White, general federation chairman of political science, Indianapolis; Miss Rosa B. Knox, director of primary and kindergarten department of the Mississippi industrial institute and college, Columbus, Miss.; Mrs. Shephard Barnum of Alhambra, Calif., vice president of the California state board of education and a founder of school patrons' association, and Miss Mary E. Parker of Western Reserve University, Cleveland, O., national chairman of education General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Sub-conferences of the educational department with noted speakers on each programme will be held as follows: Political Science, Mrs. Catherine Waugh McCullough, chairman, Evanston, Ill.; Vocational Training and Guidance, Mrs. Roy Emery Fletcher, chairman, Riverside Drive, New York; Kindergartens, Miss Lutie Elfred Cake, chairman, Portland, Ore.

Neighborly Club.

The Neighborly Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Hallie Reynolds as hostess. There were ten present. Roll call was answered by current events. Miss Mattie Tarpley gave a historical sketch of Chile which was quite interesting. Mrs. Nellie Barrett prepared a paper on the Islands of Titicaca and Coeli which was read by Mrs. Stacy Walker. Dainty refreshments were served in two courses. Mrs. Melancthon Moore was a guest of the day.—Skidmore News.

Mrs. Garrett Hostess.

The Young Girls Knitting club will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. W. O. Garrett.

Birthday Dinner.

Mrs. Rosie Harman of Pickering entertained her children and grandchildren with a dinner Tuesday noon, the occasion being her seventy-eighth birthday anniversary. Mrs. Harman has four children, seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Her children presented her with a Victrola. Mrs. L. L. Holbrook, a sister, and Mr. Holbrook of Maryville were also guests at the dinner.

Met With Mrs. Loch.

The Social Hour club met with Mrs. C. A. Loch at her home northwest of Pickering Wednesday afternoon. Roll call was answered with Bible verses containing the word war. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Golda Loch to the following guests and members: Miss Josie Wilson, Miss Crystal Everhart, Mrs. Joe Everhart, Mrs. Capels Wilson, Mrs. Edgar Houston, Mrs. Charley Fakes, Mrs. Theodore Gray, Mrs. Roy McMullen and daughter, Eva Laverne, Mrs. Will Spangler, Mrs. J. F. Hanna, Mrs. W. P. Scott, Miss Tressie King, Miss Annice Scott, Mrs. Beulah Stafford and Mrs. J. L. Hanna. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Mert Morris, April 10.

Coleman-Lewis Wedding.

Miss Frayna Coleman and Paul B. Lewis, both of Hopkins, were married at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in Maryville by Justice W. L. Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis left on the Burlington train for Wichita, Kan., where they will reside. The couple were accompanied to Maryville by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis and Mrs. Ed Coleman of Hopkins.

Miss Della Kern Hostess.

Miss Della Kern entertained the members of the C. C. club at her home Wednesday afternoon. Roll call was answered by telling "What to do in Emergency Cases." Mrs. H. C. Hiles acted as leader for the afternoon. Miss Bernice Hiles read an interesting paper on "Osteopathy and Its Origination," and Mrs. Basil Yates read a paper on "The Christian Scientist and His Cure." Miss Alma Corken gave a reading, "Aunty Doleful's Visit." There were eleven members present. Mrs. Wiley Zook was a visitor for the afternoon. During the social hour refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Elmer Corken, April 3.—Burlington Junction Post.

FORTUNE AWAITS CLAIMANT

Relative of David Burns is Sought That He May Receive an Undisposed-of Legacy.

New York, March 29.—Boy! Page Mr. Burns!

Paging the Mr. Burnses of the country is precisely the task confronting I. M. Sackin, of No. 5 Beekman street, who is in charge of a large sum of money seeking an owner—first name and present whereabouts unknown.

Here is how it happened:

When Lincoln called for volunteers in '60 David Burns, then living at No. 135 East Twenty-first street, this city, stopped his work and marched off to battle. He was in such haste to respond that he notified no relative and made no disposition of a tidy bank account.

David Burns never came back. His unclaimed earnings lay in the bank, swelling by the increment of interest until now they represent a large fortune even in these days. The windfall is awaiting the claim of the right Mr. Burns.

Mrs. Mary Phares, Miss Fannie Hope and niece, Charlotte Whelchel, Mrs. Boggs, Miss Mary Boggs and Mrs. Eldon Irvin motored to St. Joseph today to spend the day.

DR. W. W. TURNER

OSTEOPATH

Treatment of bowel, liver and nervous diseases a specialty.

Office over Alderman-Yehle Store

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WATCH YOUR EYESIGHT

EYES EXAMINED FREE

Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at

KUCHS BROTHERS

222 N. Main Street.

Empire Theatre

Monday April 1st

Eight Thirty p. m.

Dan Hart's Clever Comedy

The Parish Priest

Given by Maryville Dramatic Club Direction of Verne Alderman

Benefit Catholic Order of Foresters.

Seats on sale at Reuillard's Saturday, March 30. PRICE 50c.

Eyes Tested Free

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We Guarantee Satisfaction.

H. L. Raines JEWELER AND OPTICIAN 110 W. 3rd ST. JUST A STEP PAST MAIN MARYVILLE, MO.

Announcement

I AM IN THE PAINTING AND PAPER HANGING BUSINESS—INDEPENDENT OF ANYONE ELSE.

JAMES W. ARNETT

Hanamo 4428.

Your Work Appreciated.

MARCH TO VICTORY

Courage is a matter of the blood. Without good red blood a man has a weak heart and poor nerves.

In the spring is the best time to take stock of one's condition. If the blood is thin and watery, face pale or pimply, generally weak, tired and listless, one should take a spring tonic. One that will do the spring house-cleaning, an old-fashioned herbal remedy that was used by everybody nearly 50 years ago is still safe and sane because it contains no alcohol or narcotic. It is made up of Blood root, Golden Seal root, Oregon Grape root, Queen's root, Stone root, Black Cherry bark—extracted with glycerine and made into liquid or tablets. This blood tonic was first put out by Dr. Pierce in ready-to-use form and since then has been sold by million bottles as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If druggists do not keep this in tablet form, send 60 cents for a vial to Dr. Pierce's, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

Kidney disease carries away a large percentage of our people. What is to be done? The answer is easy. Eat less meat, eat coarse, plain food, with plenty of vegetables, drink plenty of water between meals, and take an uric acid solvent after meals for a while, such as Anuric (double strength), obtainable at almost any drug store. It was first discovered by Dr. Pierce. Most every one troubled with uric acid finds that Anuric dissolves the uric acid as hot water does sugar. You can obtain a trial package by sending ten cents to Doctor Pierce's Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

One More Day For Easter Shoppers

EVERYONE will want to look their best on Easter Sunday, and you have but one more day to complete your Easter shopping—so every moment should be taken advantage of.

Our Spring assortments in all lines are at their very best and so arranged as to make selections easy.

If you have not selected your Easter Suit, Dress, Coat, Footwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Hat or other apparel, you should waste no time in doing so,

Complying With Government's Wishes

On next Monday the clocks will register one hour earler than the sun—every clock should be moved ahead one hour. This is in accordance with the Government's "Daylight Bill," and we expect to comply with this request and will open our store at 8:00 o'clock a. m. as usual and close at 6:00 p. m. But this will mean an hour earlier than this week's schedule, Please arrange your shopping accordingly.

MEN OF TOMORROW.

The men of tomorrow, in this community, are the ones who today are working with a single and fixed purpose.

They are solving some problem that looms up big before them.

They are not undecided and wavering, but are making some progress every day.

This bank offers its services to these men, in any of its various capacities.

Farmers Trust Co.

Geo. L. Wilfley, Pres. W. C. Pierce, Vice-Pres. C. D. Bellows, Vice-Pres. Geo. E. Ellison, Vice-Pres. & Counsel

S. H. Kemp, Cash. & Sec'y A. K. Frank, Ass't Sec'y H. D. Snyder, Ass't Sec'y A. W. Hoover, Attorney

Mr. Stapler told me (confidentially) that he had the most delicious hams for your Easter breakfast.

Also extra fancy Prime Rib Roasts, Pork Chops, Porterhouse Steak, Sirloin Steak and Round Steak for your Easter dinner

Your assurance when buying from Stapler is full weight, quality products, prompt service and strict cleanliness in the handling of all meats

Stapler's Market

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WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good list of prime real estate mortgage loans for disposal, in amounts to suit investors. See us for terms. Over Nodaway Valley Bank. The Sisson Loan & Title Co. 21tf

FOR SALE — Pop corn wagon, in good condition, cheap. Inquire at Protzman's Barber Shop. 18-30*

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn eggs, $5.00 per hundred. Mrs. L. O. Reaksecker, Farmers phone 38-20. 20-2*

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs from extra good stock; no cheap stuff. M. C. Thompson, Far. phone 41-15. 21tf

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred S. C. R. I. Red eggs ,$5.00 per hundred. Farmers phone 38-12. Mrs. Will Wells. 23-29*

FOR SALE—We have four used upright pianos in excellent condition, one nearly new, that we will sell at bargain prices. The Landon guarantee goes with every piano, new or used, that we sell. You will have to come early to secure one of these. Landon Music Co. 25-20

FOR SALE—400 bushels of 1916 yellow corn, $3.00 per bushel. C. E. Coulter. Phone through Bediosn. 23-29*

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn eggs, Barron Young strain, 75c setting; $4.50 per hundred. Mrs. Joe Henderson. Telephone Barnard. 27-29*

FOR SALE—Mare, 4 years old. Frank Martin. Phone 3041, 216 E. 3rd. 28-30

FOR SALE—Used Overland touring car in good condition. Will trade for live stock. R. M. Evans, Farmers phone. Arkoe. 27-29

S. C. R. I. Red eggs for hatching. On account of moving will have no pens, but sell eggs from general flock. Eggs at $5.00 per 100. Mrs. Alfred Jones, Route 7. Farmers phone 38-17. 28-30*

FOR SALE—Furniture including range, bedstead, mattress and springs, dresser and few other pieces. Phone 3295. 627 W. 2nd St. 29-1

FOR SALE—15 bu. Early Ohio potatoes, $1.50 bu. Ralph Strader, Farmers phone 27-11. 29-1

FOR SALE—A limited amount of my vacuum feed valveless hog waterers, while they last at the old price of $7.00. F. L. Curfman, 114 East Second St. 29-1*

FOR SALE—Table, sideboard, mirror, 2 rockers, double couch, floor matting. Hanamo phone 269. 27-29

FOR SALE—Raspberry plants, home grown, Black Pearl, Cumberland and Kansas and Gregg varieties. E. H. Bearce, Burlington Junction, Box 47. Phone 181. 28-30*

FOR SALE—Irish Cobbler seed potatoes, $1.50 per bu. Allen McNeal, 6 miles southeast of Graham. Phone Farmers through Graham. 26-1*

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn eggs, $5 per hundred; orders taken for baby chicks. E. G. Wells, Ravenwood.

MISCELLANEOUS

CALL Standard Plumbing Co. fo that plumbing job. Estimates given free. Hanamo 46. 13tf

ST. LOUIS STAR—3 months for $1 by mail. Fast mail edition of Star arrives 6 a. m. and is delivered on rural routes before noon. Local rates by carrier 15c week. Johnny Hansen, agent.

WE HAVE received shipment of seed wheat, now in stock, $3.50 per bu. Bring your sacks. Braniger. 21tf

FOR EXCHANGE—5 acre tract well improved, just outside city limits, exchange for small residence. Also 80 acres in Southern Mo. Improved, for city property. Call at once. Wallace Bros. Land Co. 28-30

NOTICE—"23" jitney station will run a general delivery in connection with their jitney business. We will haul anything. Call us. E. C. Meberly 23-tf

HAIR CUT 25c; hair cut and shave 40c, except Saturdays; bath 15c. Protzman's Shop, under Montgomery Shoe Co. 26-30*

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern 7 room house on West First street. Inquire Arch Frank. 28-30

FOR RENT — 6-room house, 1102 East Jenkins. Inquire Louis Gram, Hanamo 5542. 27-29

FOR RENT—3 nice up-stair rooms after April 1. William Everhart. 18-tf

FOR RENT—7-room house, modern except furnace. One block east of postoffice. Call Hanamo 732. 27-29

LOST

LOST—Canvas telescope grip containing clothing, between 4th St. and Albert Carr's farm. Leave Democrat-Forum office. 28-30

LOST—License No. 110,227 between Arkoe and Maryville. Finder leave at Tilson's garage. 27-29

LOST—Pair of glasses. Call Hanamo phone 6135. 29-1*

LOST—Between Byers and Schumacher groceries, man's open face gold watch with Dodge Bros. fob. Return to Landon Music Co. Reward. 28-30

WANTED

WANTED—The Democrat - Forum wants a good news correspondent at Burlington Junction and Skidmore. For further information apply or write. tf

WANTED—Buyers for 200 bu. Jonathan apples at Stapler's Meat Market Saturday. 27-29

WANTED—Girl for housework in small family. 301 East 3rd St. Hanamo 3527. 29-tf

WANTED—Dishwasher at the New Linville Hotel. 27-29

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future.

Kansas City, March 29. — CORN — May $1.26.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, March 29.—CATTLE—Receipts 3,000; steers, $10.00@$14.00; cows, $6.00@$12.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,000; top, $16.90; bulk, $16.25.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, March 29. —CATTLE—Receipts, 8,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; market, lower; top, $17.25.

St Joseph Live Stock

St. Joseph, March 29.—CATTLE — Receipts, 1,200; market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000; market 25 lower; top, $16.75.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Springs	20c
Lucks	17c
Eggs, per dozen	28c
Cream, per lb	39c
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Old Roosters	12
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How to Grow Garden Peas.

Early peas require a rather rich sandy loam with good drainage in order that the first plantings may be made early in the spring. Fertilizers that are high in nitrogenous matter should not be applied to the land immediately before planting, as they will have a tendency to produce too great growth of vines at the expense of pods. Land that has been manured the previous year will be found satisfactory without additional fertilizer. While the sandy loam is to be preferred for early varieties, a good crop can be produced on almost any good soil.

The first planting should be of such varieties as Alaska, or some of its modifications, which make a small but quick growth and may or may not be provided with supports. These should be planted about two weeks before the date of the last killing frost, or in fact may be planted as soon as the ground is in condition. The tall-growing sorts of the Telephone type are desirable for still later use on account of their large production and excellent quality.

Peas should be drilled in rows, one to two pints being sufficient for a 100-foot row. The individual peas should be placed about one inch apart in the rows. The distance between rows will depend upon the kind of cultivation to be employed and upon the varieties used. The dwarf varieties need not be any further apart than necessary to insure cultivation, while the tall-growing sorts should not be planted closer than 3 to 3½ feet apart.

A good scheme is to plant two parallel rows of peas about 6 or 8 inches apart, then leave a space of 18 inches or two feet and plant two more rows of seed close together. Fewer strings or less brush will be required to support them than when planted in single rows at the greater distances.

If peas are to be grown for immediate use only, a quart will be enough to plant at one time. However, if it is desired to grow peas for canning large plantings should be made. If space is available, it is an excellent plan to make considerable planting at one time of some one variety so that the peas for canning will be available in considerable quantities. This enables the housewife to get the canning out of the way in a comparatively short time. Successive plantings of the various varieties of peas should be made at intervals of about two weeks, until the weather begins to grow warm, when the plantings should be discontinued. It is possible in some sections to grow a fall crop of peas. When this is done, early varieties should be used.—U. S. Department of Agriculture.

SEATS ARE SELLING RAPIDLY.

Good Crowd Promised for Performance of "The Parish Priest."

The sale of tickets for "The Parish Priest," the play to be given for the benefit of the Catholic Order of Foresters at the Empire Theatre next Monday night is progressing satisfactorily, indicating that a large crowd will be on hand to witness the performance. Seat reservations may be made tomorrow at Reuillard's.

George W. Harmon will leave Sunday morning for St. Joseph where he has accepted a responsible position with the Excello Milling Co.

Cyrus Lyle of Parnell was in Maryville on business yesterday.

PNEUMONIA
First call a physician. Then begin hot applications of—
Keep a Little Body Guard in Your Home
VICK'S VAPORUB

EGGS FOR HATCHING—S. C. Buff Orpington eggs, $5.00 per 100; $1.25 per setting. Winter egg laying strain. Mrs. Dillard Palmer, Route 1, both phones.

FOR HATCHING—R. I. R. eggs, 85c per setting; $4.50 per 100. Devered carefully wrapped at any store in Maryville. Mrs. Ralph Pierpoint. Farmers phone 43-22, Maryville, Mo.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—S. C. Brown Leghorns exclusively for 11 years. The kind that lay. Mrs. J. B. Evans, Maryville, Route 7. Farmers phone 15-13.

SINGLE COMB Brown Leghorn eggs for hatching, $4.00 per hundred, Miller Purvis strain. Mrs. Roland Evans, Maryville, Mo., Route 4. Telephone Arkoe. 14-10*

FULL BLOODED White Wyandotte eggs for sale, $4.50 per 100. Call Mutual phone, Burlington Junction. Mrs. P. D. Nicholas.

HENRY FORD TELLS HIS PLAN

Automobile Manufacturer Would Build 2,000 Two-Man Tanks a Day—Best Machinery will Win.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, March 29.—Henry Ford issued a statement yesterday asserting that America could win the war only by throwing "the whole weight of our industries and tool power into the balance." He said that the war is the "greatest engineering feat ever known and the side that musters the best machinery will win." The country has not "organized to concentrate industrial resources upon essential war work," he said, and the people do not realize that "the problem lies in the management of factories and the fullest use of machinery."

"To me it seems out of place to send men with bare bodies and rifles against trenches of concrete, fortified with barbed wire, machine guns, and cannon. A small tank can be made for attack that will carry two men and a machine gun, with armor protection strong enough to resist the hail of machine gun bullets and shrapnel splinters. Such tanks, if standardized to one model, could be produced at the rate of 1,000 or 2,000 a day. Once production was started 90,000 tanks could be made in three months. Distributed equally along the west front this would place one tank every eighteen feet. In each tank two men, shielded by armor plate, with a machine gun, would have the offensive power of fifty soldiers with rifles. That advantage would come from possession of the better piece of fighting machinery. Soldiers would stand in line to have a chance to attack in such outfits.

GARDENS ON R. R. PROPERTY

Burlington has Offered Use of Right of Way Along 9,000 Miles for War Gardens.

The Burlington Railroad has again offered the use of the right-of-way along its 9,373 miles of road for the growing of food stuffs. This year, this road goes so far as to offer the services of its Agricultural Department in determining which is the more desirable and profitable crop to grow in each locality. Those desiring to secure a tract on the Burlington's right-of-way are requested to select same at once, while the selecting is good. Preference in the selection of plots will be given as follows: 1st, company employes; 2nd, adjacent property owners; third, the general public.

Last year 3,600 gardens, averaging half an acre each in size were grown on Burlington right-of-way, tons and tons of alfalfa, potatoes, pinto beans and other food stuffs, valued at hundreds of thousands of dollars were raised.

Application for tracts should be made to the station agent or foreman of the section on which tract is located.

Eat Vegetables to Save Bread.

Canadians are being urged to eat mroe vegetables in order to save breadstuffs for the soldiers and civilian population in Europe. There is in the Dominion a large surplus of potatoes, carrots, turnips and onions. Such vegetables as these, when eaten freely, will cut down sharply the actual amount of bread needed. "To allow them to be wasted," says the Food Controller," "would be to deprive the Allied people of food which, if obtained at all, must be saved on this continent."

You Can't Rub It Away; Rheumatism is in the Blood

Liniments Will Never Cure.

If you are afflicted with Rheumatism, why waste time with liniments, lotions and other local applications that never did cure Rheumatism, and never will?

Do not try to rub the pain away, for you will never succeed. Try the sensible plan of finding the cause of the pain, and go after that. Remove the cause, and there can be no pain.

You will never be rid of Rheumatism until you cleanse your blood of the germs that cause the disease. S. S. S. has never had an equal as a blood purifier and scores of sufferers say that it has cleansed their blood of Rheumatism, and removed all trace of the disease from their system.

Get a bottle of S. S. S. at your drug store, and get on the right treatment to-day. If you want special medical advice, you can obtain it free by addressing Medical Director, 23 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

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BACHELORS CAUSE TROUBLE.

New Castle, Pa., March 29.—Bachelors cause most of the trouble in the world. According to figures compiled by the Police Department during the past year seventy-five per cent of the law violations here were laid to single men.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

BAKED POTATO

BIG, white, mealy—with butter melting on it. Um-m-m! And you like it because it is baked. Same with Lucky Strike Cigarette

IT'S TOASTED

Cooking makes things delicious—toasting the tobacco has made the Lucky Strike Cigarette famous.

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Easter Flowers

Again the glory of Easter fills the world. This year Easter comes at a season when the Daffodils, Tulips and Hyacinths especially, reach their full beauty. It is the Easter spirit that these fragrant messengers should be everywhere—sent broadcast to herald the awakened season.

That flowers may be in your home at Easter time—that you may send them as gifts, we present a very complete assortment of Choice POTTED PLANTS and FRESH CUT FLOWERS at Reasonable Prices.

Telephone or mail your order if you cannot make personal selection, and your order, whether large or small will receive the same careful attention in selection and packing with your card, and delivery.

The Engelmann Greenhouses
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Wanted

Horses, Mares and Mules

100 Mares and Geldings, weighing 1200 to 1600. Mares 4 to 8 years old. Will buy them in foal and gelding 5 to 9 years old.

100 Mules, 3 to 10 years old, 15 hands and up.

IF YOU WANT TO SELL, BRING THEM IN OR PHONE ME, AND IF YOU WANT TO BUY, COME AND SEE ME.
Show them to me—I have no agents.

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EASTER SERVICES

PROGRAM OF MUSIC AND SONG IN ALL THE CHURCHES.

CANTATA BY CHILDREN

In Evening at Christian Church—Night Service at Baptist Church Also by the Little Folks.

The churches of Maryville will observe Easter with appropriate programs of music and song and sermons. In several the evening program will be given by the children. At the Christian church a cantata, "Resurrection Rays" will be given, illustrated with stereopticon slides; at the Baptist church the evening program will also be given by the children.

Complete programs for Easter services of all the churches are given herewith:

Christian Church.

First Christian church program for Sunday morning is as follows:

Anthem, "Awake Thou That Sleepest," by Maker.

Anthem, "God Hath Appointed a Day," by Fred W. Peace.

Sermon, "The Resurrection," Rev. C. Emerson Miller.

Evening program:

Processional.

Song by school, "Easter Bells."

Prayer.

Easter story, told by Mother and Child.

Violin Solo, Edwina Forsyth.

Exercise, "A Wreath Upon the Cross."

Cantata, "Resurrection Rays."

In this Cantata the children will endeavor to show some of the work and blessings of our National Benevolent Association, as they are caring for the orphans, the aged and homeless Disciples of Christ, from the pain of poverty and the humiliation of the poor house. The Easter offering goes to this worthy cause. The cantata will be illustrated by stereopticon pictures.

Silver offering will be taken for Orphan's Home. "Give as much for others as for yourself," is the spirit of the day.

First Methodist Church.

Sunday morning—Anthem, "Inflammatus," from Stabat Mater, by Rossini. Miss Orpha Faris will sing the solo part. Marcus T. Nielsen will sing the recitative from "The Redemption" by Gounod.

Anthem, "Unfold Ye Portals," from "The Redemption," by Gounod.

Sermon, "The Dynamics of Immortality."

Sunday evening—Anthem, "Thine Is the Kingdom," by Gaul, from "The Holy City."

Sermon, "Private Pete."

First Baptist Church

Sunday morning services:

Anthem, "Hallelujah, Christ Is Risen," Simper.

Anthem, "Hail Prince of Light."

Solo, "As Christ Upon the Cross," Bullard.

Violin Obligato, Miss Mabel Foreman.

Sermon, "Benediction of Christianity."

Evening program:

Song and quartet, Beginners Department.

Reading, "Easter, 1918."

Choir number.

Song, Congregation.

Prayer and Scripture.

Proclamation by Superintendent of Sunday School.

Exercise, by Primary girls.

Exercise, by Primary boys.

Song, Congregation.

Patriotic exercise, Junior Department.

Exercise, Senior Department.

Song.

Pledge of Loyalty, Junior and Senior Department.

Song.

Address by pastor.

Prayer and offering.

Doxology and benediction.

First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday morning services:

Anthem, "Christ Our Passover," Starkweather.

Sermon, "The Prince of Life."

Duet, "The Saviour Liveth," (Wilson) Miss Helen Zonor and Mrs. Jensen.

Reception of Members and the Lord's Supper.

Evening Services.

Anthem, "He Is Risen."

Sermon, "Love's Message."

South Methodist Church.

Anthem, "Sing for the Day Is Breaking."

Sermon, "The Lord Is Risen."

Sunday Evening—Anthem, "Jesus the Calm That Fills My Breast," and "God's Will Is Sweet to Me."

Sermon, "The Unavoidable Christ."

Sunrise Easter Service.

"The Baptist Young Peoples Union" will conduct a special service in the auditorium of the church at six o'clock (old time) Easter morning.

RESUME EXAMS NEXT WEEK

Forty-three Men are Called by Draft Board for Physical Tests on Thursday, Friday, Saturday.

Physical examinations will be resumed by the draft board next week, when forty-three men will be called for physical tests on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

These following men are called for Thursday, April 4:

Bevery B. Cunningham, Graham.
John L. Meyer, Guilford.
John Aba Hall, Maryville.
Floyd Edmund Logan, Maryville.
Benjamin E. Moffitt, Barnard.
George T. Newcomb, Flemington.
Wilbur Clinton Duff, Barnard.
Curry Farmer, Skidmore.
Claude Christian, Graham.
Josiah Chas. Farnan, Con. Jct.
Cornelius McManus, Conception.
Charles Anderson, Graham.
Otis Andrew Baker, Clearmont.
Harry R. Blackney, Skidmore.

These are called for Friday, April 5:

Carl C. Finnell, Clearmont.
Frank A. Drydale, Barnard.
Garman H. Powers, Guilford.
Edward W. Fahnauer, Conception Jct.
Jesse Roy Deason, Conception Jct.
Geo. Leslie Nelson, Barnard.
Robert A. Patterson, Maryville.
Glen Spencer Lamb, Elmo.
Glen Johnson, Maryville.
Lee Cornelius Brady, Con. Jct.
Ira Chappell, Graham.
Ralph H. Wright, Skidmore.
Niels Peter Nielsen, Clyde.
Jerry P. O'Connell, Maryville.

These are called for Saturday, April 6:

Vern V. Clayton, Guilford.
Chas. H. Rockwell, Skidmore.
John F. Morrissy, Conception Jct.
Harlan Franci White, Clearmont.
Elmer R. Thrasher, Barnard.
Ernest Arthur Riley, Burlington Jct.
Elmer Colin Johnson, Burlington Jct.
George Asa Howell, Burlington Jct.
Clarence Gonser, Pickering.
Holmes Huston Metcalf, Clearmont.
Wilson V. Claypool, Burlington Jct.
Roy M. Manly, Barnard.
Harvey Wilfong, Maitland.
Chas. Newton Wilson, Parnell.
Virgil Henry Pistole, Hopkins.

Name Administratrix.

In the estate of John Jackson, deceased, of Ravenwood, the widow, Mary E. Jackson, has been appointed administratrix by the probate court.

W. A. Mustain and family of Independence, Kan., who have been visiting Pickering relatives, left this morning for their home.

BE THRIFTY—HAVE THEM CLEANED AND WEAR THEM ANOTHER SEASON.

The nation's supply of wool and other fabrics must be conserved. It is needed for the maintainance of war. Wear your clothes another season. Get all possible wear out of them.

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KEEP SCHOOLS OPEN

GOVERNMENT URGES THEIR USE TO MAXIMUM CAPACITY.

TO SERVE WAR PURPOSE

Should be Available for Use by Boy Scouts, Junior Red Cross, War Garden Work, Etc.

Instead of closing the town and rural schools of the county during the summer vacations as has been the custom, the government urges that they be kept open for use for the performance of some service having war value.

"Don't close the schools; use them to maximum capacity," says Secretary of the Interior Lane in approving a statement just issued by the Bureau of Education of his Department, wherein is presented the Government's need of the schools in war time as seen by those in Washington charged with the conduct of the war.

The statement says: "The entire spirit of the Administration in Washington is, and has been from the beginning, that the war should in no way be used as an excuse for giving the children of the country any less education, in quantity or quality, than they otherwise would have had. Both the present demands of the war emergency and the prospective demands of the necessary readjustments inevitably to follow emphasize the need of providing in full measure for the education of all the people."

Should Find Opportunities.

Regarding elementary schools, the statement says: "There appears to be nothing in the present or prospective war emergency to justify curtailment in any respect of the sessions of the elementary schools, or of the education of boys and girls under 14 years of age, and nothing which should serve as an excuse for interference with the progressive development of the school system. Teachers and pupils should be encouraged to find ways of performing in the schools some service having war value, such as activities connected with the Junior Red Cross, War Garden Work, Boy Scouts, War Thrift Work, and the like. Opportunities should be found to introduce into the school activities having real educational value, which at the same time link up the public schools with the ideals of service and self-sacrifice actuating our people, and bring home to the consciousness of teachers, pupils, and parents the essential unity of the nation in this great crisis.'

As to the Government's need of high school students Secretaries Baker and Daniels point out that "the army and navy do not want, and can not use, boys under 18 years of age, nor boys nor men of any age who are not strong and well-developed physically. So far as the army and navy are concerned, there is nothing more important that the schools can do than to keep going at full capacity, and at the same time to emphasize in every possible way their work in physical education. High school boys will render the best service of which they are capable by remaining in school until completion of the high school course.'

No Need to Curtail Program.

Civil Service officials are equally emphatic in their statement that nothing can be gained by shutting down the schools or by curtailing school facilities, but they suggest that, since civil service positions have been filled by drawing workers from commercial and industrial houses, and also by drawing teachers from the schools, the schools could undoubtedly render a much needed service by organizing classes to train stenographers, typewriters, clerks and secretaries."

Regarding the need in industry, government officials maintain that no emergency exists which justifies any relaxation of the laws safeguarding the working conditions of our young people. The official statement points out that there are serious shortages in industry already and more are anticipated, but "boys and girls under 18 years of age should not be used to make up these shortages any more than can possibly be helped. It is easier to provide approved working conditions on the farms than in the mill or factory."

Marriage Licenses.

Amarriage license was issued to the following today: Paul B. Lewis and Frayna Coleman, both of Hopkins.

Mrs. Thana Hope left yesterday for Corning to visit her daughter, Mrs. Myra Wilson.

EASTER EGGS FOR RED CROSS

Eggs Saved Will Be Accepted and Sold.—Nobody Excluded in this Easy Plan to Help Cause.

Ladies, you can save the eggs laid on Easter day by your hens.

Mrs. G. P. Bellows, director of Woman's work for the Red Cross, announces that all eggs brought in will be accepted and sold for the benefit of the Nodaway county chapter. Eggs may be left at the supply rooms just opened on West Fourth street, the second door west of the Democrat-Forum office, where they will be cared for by those in charge.

There are no restrictions as to Easter eggs nor are women who live in town excluded, as many town residents have chickens who will be glad to donate the eggs laid on Easter day to the Red Cross. Those having no chickens, and who will therefore have no eggs to save, ca nalso have a part, if they desire, by giving an equal proportion in money.

The women of Hughes township have agreed to donate all the eggs gathered on Easter Sunday for the benefit of the Red Cross.

TOWNS TAKE IT UP

PATRIOTIC MEETINGS WILL BE HELD THROUGHOUT COUNTY.

PREPARE FOR BIG DRIVE

County Chairman W. C. Pierce and Workers are Instructing Township Committeemen in Work.

There is evidence on all sides the county will generally participate in the patriotic meetings on Saturday, April 6. The matter was only taken up with the township committee on Thursday and yesterday County Chairman W. C. Pierce at the request of the township committeemen arranged meetings for that date at Hopkins, Pickering, Guilford, Clyde, and Ravenwood. Other townships are yet to be heard from and it looks now as though these meetings would be held in practically every township in the county.

Meetings are being held almost nightly and various school district workers are being instructed in their duties, manner of procedure, etc. Last night Chairman W. C. Pierce and H. L. Haines addressed a meeting at Ravenwood. There will be a meeting held at Arkoe and another at Burlington Junction tonight, one at Quitman Saturday night, and one at Elmo Monday afternoon, all for the same purpose. Each of these meetings will be addressed by Mr. Pierce and members of the Executive Committee.

Due to an error in yesterday's Democrat-Forum it was stated that there had been objection to the plan of closing on Saturday for an hour. It should have read that there "had ben no objection" to closing plan. Every merchant, business and porfessional man seen by the committee has expressed a willingness and desire that the closing order be observed strictly and that those neglecting to do so be listed as profiteers and slackers.

The committee of the Commercial Club in charge of arrangements for the celebration and demonstration hope to be able to announce a complete program tomorrow.

Rev. Wiles Will Preach.

There will be preaching at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Oak Hill church east of Maryville, by Rev. T. H. Wiles.

The Ladies of the
Baptist Aid
will conduct a
MARKET
at Price & McNeal Furniture Store
Tomorrow Morning
Saturday, Mar. 29

AUCTION SALE of HOUSEHOLD GOODS

On Saturday afternoon, at one o'clock, I will sell all my household goods at auction.
116 South Walnut St.

E. W. HEIDEMAN.

CORN TEST STATION

CAN NOW HANDLE AS MUCH AS 100 BUSHELS A DAY.

HANDLE ALL THAT COMES

With Planting Time Approaching Farmers are Urged to Take Advantage of Service Offered.

As an emergency measure the Maryville High School testing station has been moved to the basement of the Real Estate Bank building, and is at present working on a fifty bushel capacity. So much corn was taken to the school that there was little room left for recitation work.

The Manual training boys under the direction of Superintendent Cooper worked all day yesterday building tables, cleaning the building, and making such alterations as were necessary to the establishment of a complete and efficient testing station.

J. C. Hackleman, seed corn expert of the University of Missouri, addressed a mass meeting of the High School students Wednesday morning, when the students patriotically responded one hundred per cent strong when asked to give their service in testing the seed corn of this community. They will work in shifts of twenty-four students each which will make it possible for them to test one hundred bushels a day. Should the corn come in faster, as is at present indicated, the capacity of the plant can easily be doubled, so there is little cause for the farmers of this community to worry about being able to get their seed corn tested before planting time.

The charge has been fixed at one-half cent an ear for testing, which will do away with the uncertainty as to what constitutes a bushel, and also figuring on the fraction of a bushel. Those wanting their seed corn tested should report to Superintendent Cooper who will be on hand to take care of the corn and see that it is properly tagged, tested and cared for.

Remember to bring your seed corn in early as the station will be rushed as the planting season arrives. By all means weed out the dead ears; the loss for each per cent of dead ears planted amounts to thirty-five vacant hills an acre, seventy-one missing stalks per acre, and thirty-five and one-half pounds of corn per acre. Figure it for yourself, whether it will pay you to test the corn yourself, or have it tested.

TWO IN GRADUATE RECITAL

Miss Mary Wooldridge and Virgil Rathbun, Assisted by Miss Ruth Hankins at Conservatory.

The third of a series of graduate recitals is a certificate recital given tonight at 8 o'clock in the Recital Hall by Miss Mary Wooldridge and Virgil Rathbun, assisted by Ruth Hankins violin, and Lucile Wiley, soprano.

Sonata Op. 2, No. 3.....Beethoven
First Mov.
Mary Wooldridge

Shadow Dance.....MacDowell
Prelude in C Minor.....Rachmaninoff
Virgil Rathbun

Adoration.....Borowski
Ruth Hankins

Novellette in E.....Schumann
Polka de la Reine.....Raff
Mary Wooldridge

Calm as the Night.....Bohm
A Birthday.....Cowan
Lucile Wiley

Liebestraum.....Liszt
Sonata Op. 27, No. 2.....Beethoven
Last Mov.
Virgil Rathbun

A New Bond Bill 12 Billion.

Washington, Mar. 29.—Twelve billion dollars will be the total authorization in the new bond bill to be presented to the house tomorrow, Chairman Kitchen, of the ways and means committee announced this afternoon. The Food Administration also announced that immediate audit of the accounts of all packers is to be made.

Christian Church

Bible School, Sunday, March 31.
Orchestra, "Angel Guards Their Watch are Keeping."
Song, Ladies' quartette.
Prayer, "Come with Joyous Heart."
Vocal Solo, Elaine Wright.
Trio, "May Thy Possess My Soul."
Scripture reading.
Lesson period.
Offering for Orphan's Home.

MRS. JONES DIES SUDDENLY

Wife of Well Known Business Man Stricken with Heart Failure—Funeral Held Tomorrow.

Mrs. Edith May Jones, wife of W. W. Jones, died suddenly of heart failure at 6 o'clock last night at their apartments at Perrin Hall. Mrs. Jones, who had been ill with la grippe for two weeks, was much improved, and able to be up and about her rooms. Mr. Jones, who had been with her, left the room, and on returning about ten minutes later, found her lying dead on the floor.

Mrs. Jones was 59 years old, and was married twenty-five years ago November 2, 1917, at Kentland, Ind., her early home. For several years they have made their home in Maryville.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the First Methodist church, conducted by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, and burial will be at Burlington Junction.

The pall bearers will be George and Sam Jones, and Edwin and Charles Caldwell of Burlington Junction, nephews of Mr. Jones and the Dowling brothers of near Maryville, nephews of Mrs. Jones.

The out of town relatives who will be present for the funeral are: Mr. and Mrs. George M. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Jones of Burlington Junction and Mr. and Mrs. George Dalby of Blanchard, Ia. Besides her husband Mrs. Jones leaves one brother, John Jacoby, of Texas, who will be unable to be present.

The body will lie in state from 10 till 1 o'clock tomorrow at Perrin Hall.

INTERESTED IN INSTITUTE

Besides a Series of Lectures Frank Stockdale will be Available for Personal Conferences.

The merchant's institute to be held under the auspices of the Commercial Club on nxt Tuesday and Wednesday by Frank Stockdale, the noted business expert, will have its initial session on Monday night following a supper to be given at the First M. E. church. Invitations have been sent to the merchants and business men in the county to the number of over 200 and it is expected a large number will be present. Plates may be reserved by paying fifty cents. Mr. Stockdale will give an outline of the institute following the supper.

On Tuesday and Wednesday sessions will be held at a place to be announced later. Mr. Stockdale will lecture each afternoon between three and four o'clock and in the evening from 7:30 to 9. Arrangements may be made for private consultations at hours that do not conflict with the lecture hours, by all who desire to take up matters of direct personal interest.

It is planned to arrange for all sales people who desire to hear the instructive talks to be given the opportunity. The lectures and personal conferences are without cost and will afford merchants a means of becoming acquainted with the methods of live merchants all over the country and to learn how to get the best results from retail merchandising.

A JUNIOR RED CROSS SALE

Benefit Event will be Held at Court House Saturday April 6.—Donations are Solicited.

An auction sale will be held next Saturday, April 6 in front of the court house for the benefit of the Junior Red Cross when various articles will be sold to the highest bidder. Supt. Bert Cooper is in charge of the sale and announces that anything of value that it is desired to donate will be gladly accepted, such as chickens, potatoes, live stock, fancy work and the like. In the sale announced the prize sweepstakes corn donated by M. C. Thompson will be sold.

All articles for the sale should be taken to the office of county superintendent Cooper at the court house before next Saturday. The proceeds derived from the auction will be used to purchase material for the junior workers to make up into Red Cross supplies.

LAST SMASH FINDS ALLIED LINE INTACT

HAIG REPORTS GAINS MADE TOGETHER WITH CAPTURE OF PRISONERS AND GUNS.

FRENCH RESERVES ARE DRIVINF HUN SALIENT

British War Office Indicated Counter Blows are Growing in Vigor and Pressure With German Drive Greatly Weakened.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Mar. 29.—By a series of powerful counter thrusts delivered by the British north of the Somme, some ground was gained from the Germans, and a number of prisoners and machine guns captured, the war office announced today. There is continuous and terrific fighting over the greater part of the battle front and strong German reserves are being thrown into the battle, but have everywhere been thrown back by the determined resistance of the British.

Dense German columns were caught under the rifle, machine gun and cannon fire of the British and Field Marshal Haig reported the enemy had again sustained tremendous losses. South of the Somme violent fighting raged until late Thursday evening. The war office indicated that the British counter blows were growing in vigor and that the pressure of the German drive had been greatly weakened.

Under pressure of urgent war necessities it would not be surprising if a supreme commander-in-chief were appointed for the western front with the hearty approval of field marshals, Haig and Petain. The Daily Chronicle stated today that it was expected that the post would go to General Foch, one of the most brilliant officers in the French army.

Washington, Mar 29.—All along the Picardy front the battle lines of the Entente Allies are holdiay today according to advices received by the war department and by the British and French military missions, emphasized the fact and it is not believed there will be any further withdrawals.

The French reserve army continued its drive into the German salient near Noyon today, according to advices reaching this city. The number of troops and whether this operation is being conducted by the Allied reserve army created by the supreme war council, and whether it is a real counter offensive or a "feeling out" movement is not admitted here.

Major General Bell, just back from France, told the senate military affairs committee today that the British withdrawal in the face of the German drive was prearranged.

Paris, Mar. 29.—General Pershing, speaking in the name of the United States, has placed the American army at the disposal of the French forces in the great battle of Picardy, it was announced today.

Paris, Mar. 29.—Paris was practically emptied of officers and soldiers today following a call to the front and streets and restaurants were cleared of familiar uniforms.

Four Die in New York Fire.

New York, Mar. 28.—Four persons, three women and one man, lost their lives in a fire which completely gutted the upper stories of a theatrical boarding house this morning.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled and colder tonight; Saturday cloudy and warmer.

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
Show begins at 7:30
11 and 17 cents

Brady Made Pictures, with
MADGE EVANS
Maryville's Juvenile Favorite, in
Gates of Gladness
The story is written to cheer everyone.
Tomorrow, "The Mysterious Mr. Tiller."

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FOR CITY MARSHAL.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city marshal of Maryville, subject to the action of the voters at the April city election.

E. E. TILTON.

FOR MARSHAL.

Mike Liston hereby announces that he will be a candidate for the nomination of marshal of Maryville, Mo., subject to the decision of the voters at the April city election.

FOR CITY MARSHAL.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city marshal of Maryville, subject to the action of the voters at the April city election.

PURL EDWARDS.

FOR CITY COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for City Collector of Maryville, subject to the action of the voters at the city election, April 2.

FRANK MARTIN.

For City Collector.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for City Collector of Maryville subject to the action of the voters at the city election, April 2.

W. A. BURRIS.

FOR CITY COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city collector of Maryville subject to the decision of the voters at the April election.

W. Y. COX.

FOR COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of City Collector subject to the decision of the voters at the April election.

2. A. N. (DOLL) REESE.

"I'm a little late this evening," says J. J. Heifner, "but I have been searching all over town for a spool of barb wire. I'm knitting a sweater for the kaiser."

BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get at the Cause and Remove It

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work.

People afflicted with bad breath find quick relief through Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-coated tablets are taken for bad breath by all who know them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act gently but firmly on the bowels and liver, stimulating them to natural action, clearing the blood and gently purifying the entire system. They do that which dangerous calomel does without any of the bad after effects.

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Dr. F. M. Edwards discovered the formula after seventeen years of practice among patients afflicted with bowel and liver complaint, with the attendant bad breath.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are purely a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color. Take one or two every night for a week and note the effect. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

150 Bushels

Yellow Dent Seed Corn for Sale

Guaranteed to test not less than 90 per cent

Price $5.00 per bushel

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DEATH FOLLOWS OPERATION

Mrs. Walter P. Saunders Dies at Noyes Hospital, St. Joseph.—Maryville Relatives to Attend Funeral.

Mrs. Cora Sanders, wife of Walter P. Sanders of St. Joseph, died late yesterday afternoon at Noyes hospital St. Joseph, where she underwent a serious operation ten days ago. The cause of her death, which was sudden and unexpected, was a blood clot on the heart. The funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Robinson, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. Chas. T. Bell, Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Ryan and other Maryville relatives will attend the rites.

Mrs. Sanders was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Garrett, formerly of Maryville, and was born in Savannah. Besides her husband she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. George A. Everest, a son, Robert G. Sanders, both of St. Joseph; one grandchild, Marion Sanders, and a sister, Mrs. Kate Ardery, also of St. Joseph.

Mrs. Sanders was a member of the First Presbyterian church in St. Joseph and was active in church work. It was mainly through her efforts that the handsome Y. W. C. A. edifice was erected there several years ago. She was a woman of charming personality and for years has been much interested in philanthropic work.

Forum-ettes

General order for Easter Sunday: Forward the Light Brigade—meaning daylight, of course.

Lady at the depot this morning when questioned by a reporter: "I'm not going anywhere—just St. Joe."

A little girl whose pa is sick with the measles phoned in today to know if they would "canteen us" because pa is "broke out."

Observation: We have noticed that the farther away you live from your relatives the more apt you are to brag about them.

The man who quits smoking thinks everybody ought to be interested in the struggle he is making.

A woman will go to church every Sunday and believe the minister when he tells her that faith will move mountains, but she knows that it will have no effect on the wart on her neck.

A Maryville man says his folks haven't had company for so long he has forgotten what kind of furniture he has in the dining room.

The old fashioned town rich man who used to be looked up to because he kept his horse and buggy in the livery barn now has a son who keeps one car in the repair shop and the other on the go all the time.

PICKERING CHRISTIAN CHURCH SPECIAL.

Easter Sunday will be observed with appropriate exercises by the Christian church at Pickering. Easter has long been a "High Day" in our Bible schools. The offerings go to the support of our Orphan's Homes, Old People's Homes, Hospitals, etc.

The exercises, both morning and evening revolve about the resurrection. Everyone cordially invited.

J. T. ALSUP, Minister.

Men Entertain at Skidmore.

The men and boys at the Skidmore Christian church, who were losers in a membership contest put on last winter, entertained the women and girls of the church at a banquet last night at the church parlors. A program of music, reading and talks was given and a two course supper was served. About 150 persons attended.

Entertained Mr. Nielsen.

Following the sermon and choir practice at the First Methodist church last night, the members of the choir entertained Marcus T. Nielsen, who leaves soon for Regina, Canada. About twenty were present.

NOTICE OF MASS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the qualified voters of this school district is called to meet at the court house at 7:30 p. m., Friday, March 29, for the purpose of nominating school directors.

By Order of Board of Directors.

At Christian Church Tonight.

Pre-Easter services will be resumed at the Christian church tonight when Rev. C. Emerson Miller, unable to preach last night on account of illness, will have for his subject, "The Cross and the Seven Words."

Miss Margaret Ford left yesterday for Lenox, Iowa, where she will spend Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Ford.

Announce Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Godsey announce the birth of a daughter yesterday afternoon.

A MASS MEETING TONIGHT.

Two Members of School Board to be Voted on at Tuesday's Election.

There will be a mass meeting of citizens tonight at the court house to make nominations for two members of the school board to be voted on at the city election next Tuesday. The terms of office of Dr. Jesse Miller and L. C. Cook will expire at this time. It is expected that both will be renamed to continue on the board, as both have given loyal and efficient service.

Infant Child Dies.

The four-weeks-old infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heflin of Maryville died last night of cerebral hemorrhage. Funeral services were held this afternoon at the residence and burial at Wilcox.

DOBBINS WILL IS FILED.

Bulk of Property to Brother, Who Is Also Named Executor.

The will of Wm. Dobbins, former Barnard resident whose death occurred in Denver, Col., on March 24, last has been filed for probate. The will provides for bequests of $1 to each of several brothers and sisters and to nephews and nieces, the bulk of the property, both real and personal being left to a brother, Samuel R. Dobbins, with express provision for their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dobbins. Samuel R. Dobbins is made executor. The will was made July 10, 1914.

Fort Worth Mar. 29.—While doing solo flying today J. F. Dyer, of the Royal Flying Corps and J. Scott Brown, of Montreal, were instantly killed when their planes crashed to the earth.

Who Pays The Bill?

A little common sense reasoning that the pubile of Maryville should hear:

Mr. Jones buys meat on credit. Mr. Smith pays cash. Mr. Jones through one reason or other does not pay his bill. Mr. Smith pays his bill. But who pays Jones' bill? The merchant can't afford to loose it. But to protect himself from bad debts he realizes that he must have a larger profit on Mr. Smith, or any of his patrons to help pay for the loss of Jones' bill. You'll have to admit that this is a fact.

And free delivery service. Is it free? Does the merchant who delivers get his delivery equipment free; does he hire his delivery help free? Does he get all the necessary repairs to the delivery equipment free? Certainly not. Then who pays these ebills? The public who wants that service, of course.

THE PACKER'S MARKET COMPANY

does not deliver, nor does it do any credit business. We do not ask you to pay for what you don't get. Our meats are of the finest quality and our prices mean a saving worthy of your consideration.

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Higher Rates for Electricity Necessary

After studying every alternative and postponing action as long as possible we are compelled to increase our rates to cover increased cost of manufacture, the main factor of which is coal.

In January 1917 we voluntarily reduced our rates for current upon the basis of increased business and therefore lower overhead charges, and had coal which at that time cost us $3.00 per ton in the bin, not advanced we could possibly have overcome advance of other items, but coal is today costing us $4.45 in the bin. an increase of practically 50 per cent. During 1917 we used 5180 tons of coal which if figured at the old price of $3.00 per ton would have amounted to $15540.00 but this year the same tonnage will cost $23,051.00 should the cost in the bin remain at $4.45, and freight rates on coal will shortly be advanced as the railroads have already applied for an increase. This one item will increase our cost of operation $7,511.00 and the increase asked in rates will scarcely cover this one item of coal alone.

As a matter of fact the proposed rates will average less than the rates previous to our reduction in January, 1917.

Proposed rates will appear in Saturday's papers.

Maryville Electric Light and Power Company

Empire Theatre Building
Maryville, Mo.

CONRAD FUNERAL SUNDAY

Service will be from the First M. E. Church in Charge of Rev. G. S. Cox—Burial in Miriam.

Funeral services for George Conrad whose death followed injuries received by being struck by an automobile on Wednesday night will be held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the First M. E. church, the funeral sermon being preached by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. Members of Masoic order state. Members of the Masonic order and of the B. P. O. E. lodge of which Mr. Conrad was a member will attend the service in a body. The remains will lie in state at the family home 311 West Seventh street from 2 until 6 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Burial will be in Miriam cemetery.

Universal Service Scores.

Washington, Mar. 29.—Universal military service scored an important victory this afternoon when the senate refused to table a new amendment to the pending draft legislation to begin the military training of young men when they reach the age of nineteen.

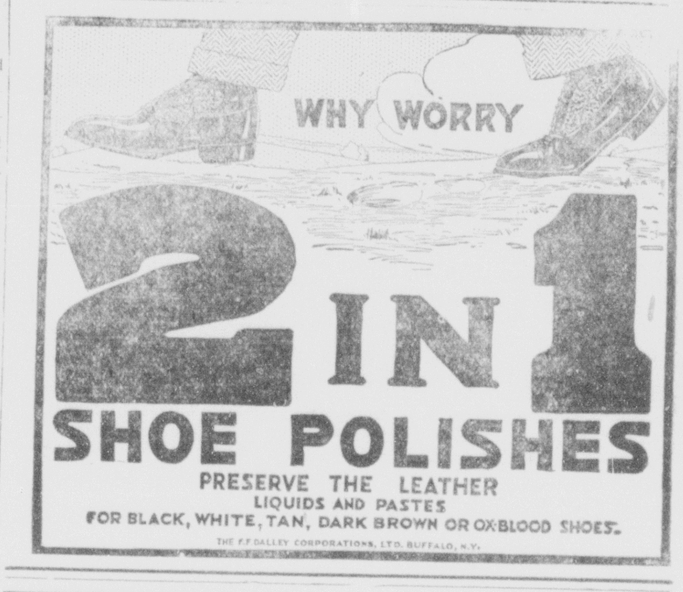
MOTHERS TO BE

Should Read Mrs. Monyhan's Letter Published by Her Permission.

Mitchell, Ind.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me so much during the time I was looking forward to the coming of my little one that I am recommending it to other expectant mothers. Before taking it, some days I suffered with neuralgia so badly that I thought I could not live, but after taking three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was entirely relieved of neuralgia, I had gained in strength and was able to go around and do all my housework. My baby when seven months old weighed 19 pounds and I feel better than I have for a long time. I never had any medicine do me so much good."—Mrs. PEARL MONYHAN, Mitchell, Ind.

Good health during maternity is a most important factor to both mother and child, and many letters have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., telling of health restored during this trying period by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mr. Bryan is so busy making the world safe for grape juice that he can't find time to give much attention to the small matter of war.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Choice of Food—

Your choice of foods should be those products that contain the greatest amount of food value for the money expanded. Common sense will tell you that meat of the best quality is the only economical meat—

For Your Easter Breakfast

——we offer ham—delicious juicy ham that will melt in your mouth. And for your Dinner, Roasts, Steaks and Chops, all of which are from the best stock, which means quality and that in turn assures you of economical prices.

Reimer's Market

Clever Styles

In Waists, Suits and Coats *for Spring*

A belated shipment has just brought us an excellent stock of goods that will surely be a treat for the late Easter shopper who is desirous of securing exclusive designs in high class Waists, Suits and Coats.

These fres h new selections for spring include garments whose pretty materials and careful making will instantly appeal to the particular woman.

The Waists are of Georgette Crepe in all the delicate shades for spring. Many of them are hand embroidered, with hand made lace trimmings. The Easter buyer will find these winning creations very modestly priced.

These Suits and Coats comprise a collection that possess most excellent qualities and you will find in them a splendid combination of style, beauty, good quality of materials and trimmings.

Among the little things that add to your Easter costume are your Gloves. We have a large array of Silk Gloves in all the latest shades.

Another necessity that adds a finishing touch to your Easter Suit is your Hosiery. Silk Hose in a large variety of tints, that will appeal to the discriminating woman, are to be found here.

D. R. Eversole & Son

USE BUT HALF WHEAT

NEW REGULATIONS AS SUPPLY GROWS SMALLER.

EFFECT LARGER SAVING

Food Administration is Dependent on Voluntary Assistance of People to Accomplish End.

That the Allies may be supplied with the necessary proportion of wheat to maintain their war bread from now until the next harvest—and this is a military necessity—the people of this country must cut down their use of wheat by one-half. To effect this saving, the Food Administration is dependent upon the voluntary assistance of the American people and asks that the following rules be put into effect at once.

First: Householders should not exceed a total of one and one-half pounds a week of wheat products a person. This means not more than one and three-fourths pound of Victory bread containing the required percentage of substitutes, and about one-half pound of cooking flour, macaroni, crackers, pastry, pies, cakes, wheat breakfast cereals all combined.

Second: Public eating places and clubs should observe two wheatless days a week, Monday and Wednesday, as at present. In addition, they should not serve to any one guest at any one meal an aggregate of breadstuffs, macaroni, crackers, pastry, pies, cakes or wheat breakfast cereals containing a total of more than two ounces of wheat flour, for each ninety meals served, thus conforming to the limitations required of the household.

Third: Retailers shall sell not more than one-eighth of a barrel of wheat flour to any one town consumer at any one time and not more than one quarter of a barrel to any country consumer at any one time, and in no case to sell wheat products without the sale of an equal weight of other cereals.

Fourth: Bakers and grocers are asked to reduce the volume of Victory bread sold by delivering the three-quarter pound loaf where the pound loaf was sold before, and corresponding proportion in other weights. Bakers also are asked not to increase the amount of their wheat flour purchases beyond a seventy per cent of the acreage monthly amount purchased in the four months prior to March 1.

Fifth: Manufacturers using wheat products for non-food purposes should cease such use entirely.

Sixth: There is no limit upon the use of other cereals, flour and meals, corn, barley, buckwheat, potato flour, etc. Many thousand families throughout the land are now using no wheat products whatever except a very small amount for cooking purposes and are doing so in perfect health and satisfaction. There is no reason why all the American people who are able to cook in their own households cannot subsist perfectly well with the use of less wheat products than one and one-half pounds a week and the well-to-do households in the country are especially asked to follow this additional program in order that the necessary marginal supplies for those parts of the community less able to adapt themselves to so large a proportion of substitutes may be provided.

RICH MARYVILLE BACHELOR WANTS WIFE.

"Many people have blamed me for not getting married. Since childhood I have suffered from stomach and liver trouble, never being able to get any medicine or doctor to help me. Now that Mayr's Wonderful Remedy has entirely cured me, I am anxious to get a wife." It is a simple, harmless preparation, that removes the catarrhal mucous from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Maryville Drug Co.—Adv.

KNITTING CLAIM DISPUTED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Unionville, Conn., March 29.—The claim of Mrs. J. Antoinette Hamilton, eighty-three, that she is the oldest knitter in the State has been challenged by several local women. Mrs. Mary Griggs, eighty-five; Mrs. John C. Tracy who will be eighty-eight at her next birthday, and Mrs. E. V. Sage, who recently celebrated her ninetieth birthday, are all doing their bit with the knitting needles in this town.

SLAVE DIES AT 118.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Laurel, Del., March 29. — Bayard Jones Gray, a slave for more than a century, and who cultivated four masters during the slavery days, died here at the age of one hundred and eighteen.

Gray had perfect eyesight and worked actively and regularly until nearly one hundred years old.

WOMEN AS R. F. D. CARRIERS

Are Now Eligible to Positions on Mai Routes—Examination April 27 Where Vacancies Exist.

Women are to be taken on as rural route mail carriers all over the country as a war emergency measure, according to information given in the office of the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, James I. Blakslee. The first examination to which women will be eligible will take place on April 27 in all sections where there are vacancies and where men carriers are unattainable.

This is the first time since 1911 that women have been eligible for such posts, except in rare cases as substitutes. Previous to that time the service was opened to them for a short time, but while their work was satisfactory climatic conditions in the Northwest were such as to make it inadvisable to use them generally, and the privilege of examination was denied them.

There are now in the rural route service 200 women carriers, holdovers from those early examinations. According to the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, who has charge of rural routes, their services have been quite satisfactory, and in opening the field again to women his office looks for gratifying results.

MUST DRAG COUNTY ROADS

Inspectors From State Highway Board Will Report Counties Where Work Is Being Neglected

Road drag inspectors acting under the direction of the state highway board will report counties where intercounty seat roads are not properly dragged. In many counties the highway boards allow road drag furds to accumulate and no effort is made to put the roads in proper condition after each rain. The law provides $15 per mile per year to drag or otherwise improve the 11,300 miles of intercounty seat highways in Missouri. Because of the scarcity of farm help and the pressing need of teams for agricultural work, it is difficult for county highway boards to contract with parties who will not sacrifice the roads for their own personal benefit. Many road overseers in the state also proceed on the theory that they are to do road work only when the weather conditions are unfavorable for farm work or crops are laid by. If the roads in your section are not properly dragged you should notify the state highway board and an inspector will see that the condition is corrected.

KRUPP BUILT THE BIG GUN

Kaiser Thanks the Makers for the Achievement of German Science and Labor.

Amsterdam, Mar. 29.—The gun with which the Germans are bombarding Paris is a product of the Krupp works at Essen. Emperor William has sent a telegram of thanks to Dr. Krupp von Bohlem and Halbach, the head of the Krupp works. The telegram reads:

"By the bombardment of Paris from a distance of considerably more than one hundred kilometers your new gun has brilliantly stood the test. By the manufacture of the gun you have added a new page to the fame and history of Krupp. I therefore express to you and all your co-workers my imperial thanks for this achievement of German science and labor."

(1st insertion Mar. 20; last April 1)

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 2nd, 1918 at the various voting places in the City of Maryville, Missouri, there will be an election held for the purpose of electing a Mayor, Marshal, City Collector and five aldermen, as follows: One Alderman from the First Ward, two from the Second, one for one year to fill the vacancy caused by the removal from the ward of Alderman O. O. Howard, one for two years, (long term), one from the Third Ward and one from the Fourth Ward.

Polling places and the names of the Judges in each ward, as follows:

First Ward (City Hall) Judges: Noah Sipes, J. E. Reese, Howard Whaley, Hal Hooker.

Second Ward (Keeler Building), Judges: Henry Trullinger, George Conrad, Robert Brown, Alex Holt.

Third Ward (Gray's Pavilion), Judges: A. J. Anderson, Ellis G. Cook, Haden Sours, Dick Strawbridge.

Fourth Ward (John Kane Bldg.) Judges: Lucy Gram, Howard McCaffrey, Fred Smith, Thomas Hall.

Polls open at 7 a. m.

(Seal) A. S. ROBEY, Mayor.

E. J. Howland, City Clerk.

SCHOOL ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 2, 1918, at the various voting places in the city of Maryville Missouri, held for city election, there will be submitted to the qualified voters of the Maryville School District being District Number 97, a proposition to levy a tax of six mills on the dollar on the taxable property of the district in addition to the four mills authorized by law to be levied by the Board of Directors.

Also the election of two directors for the next ensuing term of three years each.

Done by order of the Board of Directors this 11th day of March, A. D., 1918.

J. R. BRINK, Pres.

GEO. PAT WRIGHT, Sec.

Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY

Hanamo 42. Farmers 114.

Eliminating Illiteracy One Topic of Women's Club Sessions.

Official announcement was made today that "Rural Schools' 'and "The Elimination of Illiteracy" are to be the two topics stressed at a great educational conference which will be a feature of the fourteenth biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs to be held at Hot Springs, Ark., April 30 - May 9.

J. L. McBrien, rural school specialist in the U. S. bureau of education, Washington, will lead this discussion. Other speakers on the educational conference programme will be:

Dr. Henry McCracken, president of Vassar college and director of the American Junior Red Cross; Mrs. Mary C. C. Bradford, president of the national educational association and superintendent of education of the state of Colorado; Mrs. Claude D. Sullivan, state chairman of education for Tennessee; Mrs. H. C. Gibson, president of the Arkansas Federation of Women's Clubs and past field extension worker for Arkansas; Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, president of the Kentucky illiteracy commission and pioneer in the work for the elimination of illiteracy; Mrs. Edward Franklin White, general federation chairman of political science, Indianapolis; Miss Rosa B. Knox, director of primary and kindergarten department of the Mississippi industrial institute and college, Columbus, Miss.; Mrs. Shephard Barnum of Alhambra, Calif., vice president of the California state board of education and a founder of school patrons' association, and Miss Mary E. Parker of Western Reserve University, Cleveland, O., national chairman of education General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Sub-conferences of the educational department with noted speakers on each programme will be held as follows: Political Science, Mrs. Catherine Waugh McCullough, chairman, Evanston, Ill.; Vocational Training and Guidance, Mrs. Roy Emery Fletcher, chairman, Riverside Drive, New York; Kindergartens, Miss Lutie Elfred Cake, chairman, Portland, Ore.

Neighborly Club.

The Neighborly Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Hallie Reynolds as hostess. There were ten present. Roll call was answered by current events. Miss Mattie Tarpley gave a historical sketch of Chile which was quite interesting. Mrs. Nellie Barrett prepared a paper on the Islands of Titicaca and Coeli which was read by Mrs. Stacy Walker. Dainty refreshments were served in two courses. Mrs. Melancthon Moore was a guest of the day.—Skidmore News.

Mrs. Garrett Hostess.

The Young Girls Knitting club will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. W. O. Garrett.

Birthday Dinner.

Mrs. Rosie Harman of Pickering entertained her children and grandchildren with a dinner Tuesday noon, the occasion being her seventy-eighth birthday anniversary. Mrs. Harman has four children, seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Her children presented her with a Victrola. Mrs. L. L. Holbrook, a sister, and Mr. Holbrook of Maryville were also guests at the dinner.

Met With Mrs. Loch.

The Social Hour club met with Mrs. C. A. Loch at her home northwest of Pickering Wednesday afternoon. Roll call was answered with Bible verses containing the word war. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Golda Loch to the following guests and members: Miss Josie Wilson, Miss Crystal Everhart, Mrs. Joe Everhart, Mrs. Capels Wilson, Mrs. Edgar Houston, Mrs. Charley Fakes, Mrs. Theodore Gray, Mrs. Roy McMullen and daughter, Eva Laverne, Mrs. Will Spangler, Mrs. J. F. Hanna, Mrs. W. P. Scott, Miss Tressie King, Miss Annice Scott, Mrs. Beulah Stafford and Mrs. J. L. Hanna. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Mert Morris, April 10.

Coleman-Lewis Wedding.

Miss Frayna Coleman and Paul B. Lewis, both of Hopkins, were married at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in Maryville by Justice W. L. Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis left on the Burlington train for Wichita, Kan., where they will reside. The couple were accompanied to Maryville by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis and Mrs. Ed Coleman of Hopkins.

Miss Della Kern Hostess.

Miss Della Kern entertained the members of the C. C. club at her home Wednesday afternoon. Roll call was answered by telling "What to do in Emergency Cases." Mrs. H. C. Hiles acted as leader for the afternoon. Miss Bernice Hiles read an interesting paper on "Osteopathy and Its Origination," and Mrs. Basil Yates read a paper on "The Christian Scientist and His Cure." Miss Alma Corken gave a reading, "Aunty Doleful's Visit." There were eleven members present. Mrs. Wiley Zook was a visitor for the afternoon. During the social hour refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Elmer Corken, April 3.—Burlington Junction Post.

FORTUNE AWAITS CLAIMANT

Relative of David Burns is Sought That He May Receive an Undisposed-of Legacy.

New York, March 29.—Boy! Page Mr. Burns!

Paging the Mr. Burnses of the country is precisely the task confronting I. M. Sackin, of No. 5 Beekman street, who is in charge of a large sum of money seeking an owner—first name and present whereabouts unknown.

Here is how it happened:

When Lincoln called for volunteers in '60 David Burns, then living at No. 135 East Twenty-first street, this city, stopped his work and marched off to battle. He was in such haste to respond that he notified no relative and made no disposition of a tidy bank account.

David Burns never came back. His unclaimed earnings lay in the bank, swelling by the increment of interest until now they represent a large fortune even in these days. The windfall is awaiting the claim of the right Mr. Burns.

Mrs. Mary Phares, Miss Fannie Hope and niece, Charlotte Whelchel, Mrs. Boggs, Miss Mary Boggs and Mrs. Eldon Irvin motored to St. Joseph today to spend the day.

DR. W. W. TURNER

OSTEOPATH

Treatment of bowel, liver and nervous diseases a specialty.

Office over Alderman-Yehle Store

Both Phones.

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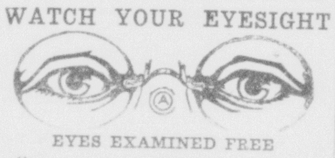

EYES EXAMINED FREE

Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at

KUCHS BROTHERS

222 N. Main Street.

Empire Theatre

Monday April 1st

Eight Thirty p. m.

Dan Hart's Clever Comedy

The Parish Priest

Given by Maryville Dramatic Club Direction of Verne Alderman

Benefit Catholic Order of Foresters.

Seats on sale at Reuillard's Saturday, March 30. PRICE 50c.

Eyes Tested Free Glasses Fitted

We Guarantee Satisfaction.

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Announcement

I AM IN THE PAINTING AND PAPER HANGING BUSINESS—INDEPENDENT OF ANYONE ELSE.

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Your Work Appreciated.

MARCH TO VICTORY

Courage is a matter of the blood. Without good red blood a man has a weak heart and poor nerves.

In the spring is the best time to take stock of one's condition. If the blood is thin and watery, face pale or pimply, generally weak, tired and listless, one should take a spring tonic. One that will do the spring house-cleaning, an old-fashioned herbal remedy that was used by everybody nearly 50 years ago is still safe and sane because it contains no alcohol or narcotic. It is made up of Blood root, Golden Seal root, Oregon Grape root, Queen's root, Stone root, Black Cherry bark—extracted with glycerine and made into liquid or tablets. This blood tonic was first put out by Dr. Pierce in ready-to-use form and since then has been sold by million bottles as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If druggists do not keep this in tablet form, send 60 cents for a vial to Dr. Pierce's, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

Kidney disease carries away a large percentage of our people. What is to be done? The answer is easy. Eat less meat, eat coarse, plain food, with plenty of vegetables, drink plenty of water between meals, and take an uric acid solvent after meals for a while, such as Anuric (double strength), obtainable at almost any drug store. It was first discovered by Dr. Pierce. Most every one troubled with uric acid finds that Anuric dissolves the uric acid as hot water does sugar. You can obtain a trial package by sending ten cents to Doctor Pierce's Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

One More Day For Easter Shoppers

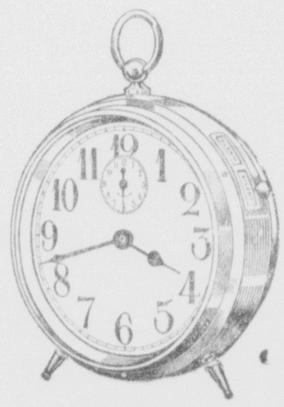
EVERYONE will want to look their best on Easter Sunday, and you have but one more day to complete your Easter shopping—so every moment should be taken advantage of.

Our Spring assortments in all lines are at their very best and so arranged as to make selections easy.

If you have not selected your Easter Suit, Dress, Coat, Footwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Hat or other apparel, you should waste no time in doing so,

Complying With Government's Wishes

On next Monday the clocks will register one hour earler than the sun—every clock should be moved ahead one hour. This is in accordance with the Government's "Daylight Bill," and we expect to comply with this request and will open our store at 8:00 o'clock a. m. as usual and close at 6:00 p. m. But this will mean an hour earlier than this week's schedule. Please arrange your shopping accordingly.



MEN OF TOMORROW.

The men of tomorrow, in this community, are the ones who today are working with a single and fixed purpose.

They are solving some problem that looms up big before them.

They are not undecided and wavering, but are making some progress every day.

This bank offers its services to these men, in any of its various capacities.

Farmers Trust Co.

Geo. L. Wilfley, Pres. W. C. Pierce, Vice-Pres. C. D. Bellows, Vice-Pres. Geo. E. Ellison, Vice-Pres. & Counsel

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Mr. Stapler told me (confidentially) that he had the most delicious hams for your Easter breakfast.

Also extra fancy Prime Rib Roasts, Pork Chops, Porterhouse Steak, Sirloin Steak and Round Steak for your Easter dinner

Your assurance when buying from Stapler is full weight, quality products, prompt service and strict cleanliness in the handling of all meats

Stapler's Market

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WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good list of prime real estate mortgage loans for disposal, in amounts to suit investors. See us for terms. Over Nodaway Valley Bank. The Sisson Loan & Title Co. 21tf

FOR SALE — Pop corn wagon, in good condition, cheap. Inquire at Protzman's Barber Shop. 18-30*

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn eggs, $5.00 per hundred. Mrs. L. O. Reuksecker, Farmers phone 38-20. 20-2*

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs from extra good stock; no cheap stuff. M. C. Thompson, Far. phone 41-15. 21tf

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred S. C. R. I. Red eggs ,$5.00 per hundred. Farmers phone 38-12. Mrs. Will Wells. 23-29*

FOR SALE—We have four used upright pianos in excellent condition, one nearly new, that we will sell at bargain prices. The Landon guarantee goes with every piano, new or used, that we sell. You will have to come early to secure one of these. Landon Music Co. 25-20

FOR SALE—400 bushels of 1916 yellow corn, $3.00 per bushel. C. E. Coulter. Phone through Bedisoa. 23-29*

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn eggs, Barron Young strain, 75c setting; $4.50 per hundred. Mrs. Joe Henderson. Telephone Barnard. 27-29*

FOR SALE—Mare, 4 years old. Frank Martin. Phone 3041, 216 E. 3rd. 28-30

FOR SALE—Used Overland touring car in good condition. Will trade for live stock. R. M. Evans, Farmers phone. Arkoe. 27-29

S. C. R. I. Red eggs for hatching. On account of moving will have no pens, but sell eggs from general flock. Eggs at $5.00 per 100. Mrs. Alfred Jones, Route 7. Farmers phone 38-17. 28-30*

FOR SALE—Furniture including range, bedstead, mattress and springs, dresser and few other pieces. Phone 3295. 627 W. 2nd St. 29-1

FOR SALE—15 bu. Early Ohio potatoes, $1.50 bu. Ralph Strader, Farmers phone 27-11. 29-1

FOR SALE—A limited amount of my vacuum feed valveless hog waterers, while they last at the old price of $7.00. F. L. Curfman, 114 East Second St. 29-1*

FOR SALE—Table, sideboard, mirror, 2 rockers, double couch, floor matting. Hanamo phone 269. 27-29

FOR SALE—Raspberry plants, home grown, Black Pearl, Cumberland and Kansas and Gregg varieties. E. H. Bearce, Burlington Junction, Box 47. Phone 181. 28-30*

FOR SALE—Irish Cobbler seed potatoes, $1.50 per bu. Allen McNeal, 6 miles southeast of Graham. Phone Farmers through Graham. 26-1*

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn eggs, $5 per hundred; orders taken for baby chicks. E. G. Wells, Ravenwood.

MISCELLANEOUS

CALL Standard Plumbing Co. fo that plumbing job. Estimates given free. Hanamo 46. 13tf

ST. LOUIS STAR—3 months for $1 by mail. Fast mail edition of Star arrives 6 a. m. and is delivered on rural routes before noon. Local rates by carrier 15c week. Johnny Hansen, agent.

WE HAVE received shipment of seed wheat, now in stock, $3.50 per bu. Bring your sacks. Braniger. 21tf

FOR EXCHANGE—5 acre tract well improved, just outside city limits, exchange for small residence. Also 80 acres in Southern Mo. Improved, for city property. Call at once. Wallace Bros. Land Co. 28-30

NOTICE—"23" jitney station will run a general delivery in connection with their jitney business. We will haul anything. Call us. E. C. Meberly 23-tf

HAIR CUT 25c; hair cut and shave 40c, except Saturdays; bath 15c. Protzman's Shop, under Montgomery Shoe Co. 26-30*

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern 7 room house on West First street. Inquire Arch Frank. 28-30

FOR RENT — 6-room house, 1102 East Jenkins. Inquire Louis Gram, Hanamo 5542. 27-29

FOR RENT—3 nice up-stair rooms after April 1. William Everhart. 18-tf

FOR RENT—7-room house, modern except furnace. One block east of postoffice. Call Hanamo 732. 27-29

LOST

LOST—Canvas telescope grip containing clothing, between 4th St. and Albert Carr's farm. Leave Democrat-Forum office. 28-30

LOST—License No. 110,227 between Arkoe and Maryville. Finder leave at Tilson's garage. 27-29

LOST—Pair of glasses. Call Hanamo phone 6135. 29-1*

LOST—Between Byers and Schumacher groceries, man's open face gold watch with Dodge Bros. fob. Return to Landon Music Co. Reward. 28-30

WANTED

WANTED—The Democrat - Forum wants a good news correspondent at Burlington Junction and Skidmore. For further information apply or write. tf

WANTED—Buyers for 200 bu. Jonathan apples at Stapler's Meat Market Saturday. 27-29

WANTED—Girl for housework in small family. 301 East 3rd St. Hanamo 3527. 29-tf

WANTED—Dishwasher at the New Linville Hotel. 27-29

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future.

Kansas City, March 29. — CORN — May $1.26.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, March 29.—CATTLE—Receipts 3,000; steers, $10.00@$14.00; cows, $6.00@$12.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,000; top, $16.90; bulk, $16.25.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, March 29. —CATTLE—Receipts, 8,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; market, lower; top, $17.25.

St .Joseph Live Stock

St. Joseph, March 29.—CATTLE — Receipts, 1,200; market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000; market 25 lower; top, $16.75.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Springs	20c
Lucks	17c
Eggs, per dozen	28c
Cream, per lb	39c
Geese	17c
Old Roosters	12
Hides, per lb.	8

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Don't overlook
An opportunity
To buy a
Pair of
Lion Brand
Work Shoes.
They are the
Best Work Shoe
you can buy.
Ask Bruce to
Show you shoe
No. 120. It will
Stand all the hard
Wear you can
Give it.

Montgomery
Shoe Company

How to Grow Garden Peas.

Early peas require a rather rich sandy loam with good drainage in order that the first plantings may be made early in the spring. Fertilizers that are high in nitrogenous matter should not be applied to the land immediately before planting, as they will have a tendency to produce too great growth of vines at the expense of pods. Land that has been manured the previous year will be found satisfactory without additional fertilizer. While the sandy loam is to be preferred for early varieties, a good crop can be produced on almost any good soil.

The first planting should be of such varieties as Alaska, or some of its modifications, which make a small but quick growth and may or may not be provided with supports. These should be planted about two weeks before the date of the last killing frost, or in fact may be planted as soon as the ground is in condition. The tall-growing sorts of the Telephone type are desirable for still later use on account of their large production and excellent quality.

Peas should be drilled in rows, one to two pints being sufficient for a 100-foot row. The individual peas should be placed about one inch apart in the rows. The distance between rows will depend upon the kind of cultivation to be employed and upon the varieties used. The dwarf varieties need not be any further apart than necessary to insure cultivation, while the tall-growing sorts should not be planted closer than 3 to 3½ feet apart.

A good scheme is to plant two parallel rows of peas about 6 or 8 inches apart, then leave a space of 18 inches or two feet and plant two more rows of seed close together. Fewer strings or less brush will be required to support them than when planted in single rows at the greater distances.

If peas are to be grown for immediate use only, a quatt will be enough to plant at one time. However, if it is desired to grow peas for canning large plantings should be made. If space is available, it is an excellent plan to make considerable planting at one time of some one variety so that the peas for canning will be available in considerable quantities. This enables the housewife to get the canning out of the way in a comparatively short time. Successive plantings of the various varieties of peas should be made at intervals of about two weeks, until the weather begins to grow warm, when the plantings should be discontinued. It is possible in some sections to grow a fall crop of peas. When this is done, early varieties should be used.—U. S. Department of Agriculture.

SEATS ARE SELLING RAPIDLY.

Good Crowd Promised for Performance of "The Parish Priest."

The sale of tickets for "The Parish Priest," the play to be given for the benefit of the Catholic Order of Foresters at the Empire Theatre next Monday night is progressing satisfactorily, indicating that a large crowd will be on hand to witness the performance. Seat reservations may be made tomorrow at Reuillard's.

George W. Harmon will leave Sunday morning for St. Joseph where he has accepted a responsible position with the Excello Milling Co.

Cyrus Lyle of Parnell was in Maryville on business yesterday.

PNEUMONIA
First call a physician. Then begin hot applications of—
Keep a Little Body-Guard in Your Home
VICK'S VAPORUB

EGGS FOR HATCHING—S. C. Buff Orpington eggs, $5.00 per 100; $1.25 per setting. Winter egg laying strain. Mrs. Dillard Palmer, Route 1, both phones.

FOR HATCHING—R. I. R. eggs, 85c per setting; $4.50 per 100. Delivered carefully wrapped at any store in Maryville. Mrs. Ralph Pierpoint. Farmers phone 43-22, Maryville, Mo.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—S. C. Brown Leghorns exclusively for 11 years. The kind that lay. Mrs. J. R. Evans, Maryville, Route 7. Farmers phone 15-13.

SINGLE COMB Brown Leghorn eggs for hatching, $4.00 per hundred, Miller Purvis strain. Mrs. Roland Evans, Maryville, Mo., Route 4. Telephone Arkoe. 14-10*

FULL BLOODED White Wyandotte eggs for sale, $4.50 per 100. Call Mutual phone, Burlington Junction. Mrs. P. D. Nicholas.

HENRY FORD TELLS HIS PLAN

Automobile Manufacturer Would Build 2,000 Two-Man Tanks a Day—Best Machinery will Win.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, March 29.—Henry Ford issued a statement yesterday asserting that America could win the war only by throwing "the whole weight of our industries and tool power into the balance." He said that the war is the "greatest engineering feat ever known and the side that musters the best machinery will win." The country has not "organized to concentrate industrial resources upon essential war work," he said, and the people do not realize that "the problem lies in the management of factories and the fullest use of machinery."

"To me it seems out of place to send men with bare bodies and rifles against trenches of concrete, fortified with barbed wire, machine guns, and cannon. A small tank can be made for attack that will carry two men and a machine gun, with armor protection strong enough to resist the hail of machine gun bullets and shrapnel splinters. Such tanks, if standardized to one model, could be produced at the rate of 1,000 or 2,000 a day. Once production was started 90,000 tanks could be made in three months. Distributed equally along the west front this would place one tank every eighteen feet. In each tank two men, shielded by armor plate, with a machine gun, would have the offensive power of fifty soldiers with rifles. That advantage would come from possession of the better piece of fighting machinery. Soldiers would stand in line to have a chance to attack in such outfits.

GARDENS ON R. R. PROPERTY

Burlington has Offered Use of Right of Way Along 9,000 Miles for War Gardens.

The Burlington Railroad has again offered the use of the right-of-way along its 9,373 miles of road for the growing of food stuffs. This year, this road goes so far as to offer the services of its Agricultural Department in determining which is the more desirable and profitable crop to grow in each locality. Those desiring to secure a tract on the Burlington's right-of-way are requested to select same at once, while the selecting is good. Preference in the selection of plots will be given as follows: 1st, company employes; 2nd, adjacent property owners; third, the general public.

Last year 3,600 gardens, averaging half an acre each in size were grown on Burlington right-of-way, tons and tons of alfalfa, potatoes, pinto beans and other food stuffs, valued at hundreds of thousands of dollars were raised.

Application for tracts should be made to the station agent or foreman of the section on which tract is located.

Eat Vegetables to Save Bread.

Canadians are being urged to eat mroe vegetables in order to save breadstuffs for the soldiers and civilian population in Europe. There is in the Dominion a large surplus of potatoes, carrots, turnips and onions. Such vegetables as these, when eaten freely, will cut down sharply the actual amount of bread needed. "To allow them to be wasted," says the Food Controller," "would be to deprive the Allied people of food which, if obtained at all, must be saved on this continent."

You Can't Rub It Away; Rheumatism is in the Blood

Liniments Will Never Cure.

If you are afflicted with Rheumatism, why waste time with liniments, lotions and other local applications that never did cure Rheumatism, and never will?

Do not try to rub the pain away, for you will never succeed. Try the sensible plan of finding the cause of the pain, and go after that. Remove the cause, and there can be no pain.

You will never be rid of Rheumatism until you cleanse your blood of the germs that cause the disease. S. S. S. has never had an equal as a blood purifier and scores of sufferers say that it has cleansed their blood of Rheumatism, and removed all trace of the disease from their system.

Get a bottle of S. S. S. at your drug store, and get on the right treatment to-day. If you want special medical advice, you can obtain it free by addressing Medical Director, 23 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

Home Photography—
Interior or Exterior
JUST CALL CARPENTER, 466
If it can be photographed he can do it

Kodaks Loaned Free
Remember These Rules
1—Pay for the Films when you get the Kodak.
2—Return the Kodak in three days(overtime 5c per day)
AT THE BEE HIVE SHOE STORE

THE SISSON LOAN & TITLE CO.
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
Real Estate, Loans and Insurance
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Best Terms Ever Offered—See Us.

HUDSON & WELCH
NORTH SIDE HARDWARE MEN
THE STORE WITH RIGHT PRICES

OPEN YOUR SAVINGS ACCOUNT NOW!

Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today.

Deposits of one dollar and upward received in our savings department.

Interest Paid Twice a Year
Oldest Bank in the County.

4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
A Bank of Savings Maryville, Mo.

BACHELORS CAUSE TROUBLE.

New Castle, Pa., March 29.—Bachelors cause most of the trouble in the world. According to figures compiled by the Police Department during the past year seventy-five per cent of the law violations here were laid to single men.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

BAKED POTATO

BIG, white, mealy—with butter melting on it. Um-m-m! And you like it because it is baked. Same with Lucky Strike Cigarette

IT'S TOASTED

Cooking makes things delicious—toasting the tobacco has made the Lucky Strike Cigarette famous.

Guaranteed by
The American Tobacco Co.
INCORPORATED

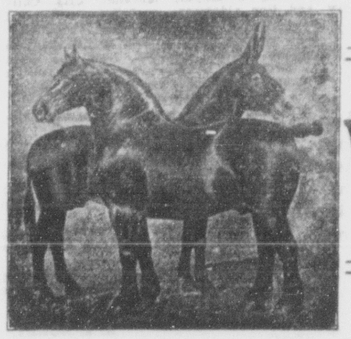
Easter Flowers

Again the glory of Easter fills the world. This year Easter comes at a season when the Daffodils, Tulips and Hyacinths especially, reach their full beauty. It is the Easter spirit that these fragrant messengers should be everywhere—sent broadcast to herald the awakened season.

That flowers may be in your home at Easter time—that you may send them as gifts, we present a very complete assortment of Choice POTTED PLANTS and FRESH CUT FLOWERS at Reasonable Prices.

Telephone or mail your order if you cannot make personal selection, and your order, whether large or small will receive the same careful attention in selection and packing with your card, and delivery.

The Engelmann Greenhouses
Phones 17. 1001 So. Main Street.



Wanted

Horses, Mares and Mules

100 Mares and Geldings, weighing 1200 to 1600. Mares 4 to 8 years old. Will buy them in foal and gelding 5 to 9 years old.

100 Mules, 3 to 10 years old, 15 hands and up.

IF YOU WANT TO SELL, BRING THEM IN OR PHONE ME, AND IF YOU WANT TO BUY, COME AND SEE ME.
Show them to me—I have no agents.

Show me your good ones in any class. I will not buy any thin, cheap, blemished crap shooters.

MARYVILLE ..... EVERY SATURDAY

Hanamo 31
Farmers 161

Jim Andy Ford